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HARRISBURG NEWS LETTER.

The Governor Shows Inconsistency in Passing on Bills and Is Therefore Unpopular.

Progress may be made by the Legislature now that the local option bill is out of the way. Up to the present time "progress" in the Legislature has been synonymous merely with "passage of time".

Nothing has been done. There may be something in the talk that nothing will be done until Senator Penrose regains control of the State Treasurer and Auditor General offices early next month.

None the of important Democratic measures has stirred in committee. Chief of these are the bill to repeal the voter's assistance clause and the bill providing a corrupt practices act with teeth in it. The anti-trust measure is regarded as of scarcely less importance.

For some reason or other, local option always is a legislative clog. It has much the same effect on the assembly as sand has on an automobile when sand gets into the carburetor. It appears impossible to do anything worth while until the vote on the option bill has been taken. Friends and enemies of the same measure usually heave a sigh of relief when it has been reached. If the Legislature really does now get down to work the Democrats, by sticking together, may be able to exercise an excellent influence.

Governor Brumbaugh at times wonders why he isn't popular, well, here's one reason: John Siggins, Jr., Republican assemblyman from Warren, got through the Legislature one of the common bills to build roads for the cornplanter Indian tribe, which has a reservation there. Siggins tried for ten days to interview the governor and explain the bill. A similar bill was approved by Brumbaugh two years ago. But Siggins never could get to Dr. Brumbaugh. Always he was stalled off by the governor's secretary or a clerk. Finally the bill was vetoed with the governor knowing little about it. Siggins was one of the men who supported Richard J. Baldwin, the Penrose choice, for speaker, instead of Edwin R. Cox, the governor's choice. Also, he was one of the outspoken opponents of local option. In spite of the approval in 1915, Brumbaugh killed the Siggins bill because it is "both unconstitutional and contrary to sound public policy."

With another bill the governor was equally inconsistent. In 1915 he vetoed a bill permitting burgesses of boro to succeed themselves. Last week he approved an identical bill. This year's bill was introduced by A. C. Schaeffer, of Schuylkill. Shaeffer voted "no" on the local option bill, But he had voted for Cox for speaker in the Republican caucus in January.

Some House and Senate Bills.

The Tompkins bill abolishing capital punishment passed the Senate finally last Thursday by a vote of 32 to 12. The bill now goes to the house. There was no discussion on the bill.

The bill as it passed the Senate is as follows:

That every person, his aiders, abettors and counselors hereafter convicted of crime of murder of the first degree shall be sentenced to undergo an imprisonment for the period of his natural life.

"All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed."

Other bills passed finally by the senate included the following:

Licensing the business of breaking eggs and selling the contents from the shell.

Regulating the taking of land by condemnation proceedings to establish or enlarge cemeteries.

Requiring courts to certify proceeding to superintendents of institutions to which insane persons have been committed.

The following bills were among those presented in the house.

Mr. Miller, Susquehanna—For state licensing and bonding of all milk dealers under supervision of the secretary of agriculture. The bill is designed to become effective July 1 and the license is to be $5 a year.

Mr. Dunn, Philadelphia—Providing for a state agricultural school to be established in Philadelphia by a commission to be named by the governor. An appropriation of $300,000 is carried.

Mr. Baldridge, Allegheny—Fixing salary of auditors in first class townships at $5 a day.

Mr. Rothenberger, Berks—a series of amendments to the school code relative to superintendents and their election qualifications and duties.

We will all soon begin looking over the garden and wonder when those little seeds will ever develope a plant big enough to yield the favorite vegetable.

LARGER CROPS URGED.

Secretary of Agriculture Appeals to Farmers to Raise More Grain, Etc.

In an appeal to the farmers and other producers of Pennsylvania, Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton urges the raising of more wheat, corn, potatoes, cabbage, onions, beets, turnips or any other vegetables, and for the conserving of such small fruit and berries as can be dried and carried over for winter use.

An investigation on the probable shortage of food supply during the present year shows that there will be an extreme scarcity in nearly all staple commodities, the agricultural department says. Food commodities have brought the highest markets in many instances since the civil war, and, taken as a whole, prices are the highest in forty years.

Canned goods and such foods as can be safely carried over, will be almost exhausted. The increased cost of production, an enormous scarcity of the tin cans in sight, high price named by growers for canning purposes, bid fair to cause even higher prices next fall, which in the event of war will be still further increased.

Secretary Patton says: "Facing such conditions, it is necessary to start a strenuous campaign of education of all the facts to bring about much needed relief in the way of farm products, home gardens, backlot gardens and any other method which will bring about a more ample food supply. It does not seem to me that there should be any fear of an over production, as the extreme shortage that is bound to occur in some lines will take care of any extra large production in other lines.

"We are informed that there will be a shortage of approximately one billion tin cans, and I would call upon all the housewives to save all of the glass they may have on hand and fill them with such food commodities that can be carried into the winter. If each household will fill a few jars with vegetables and fruits, it will mean the saving of thousands of jars of food material.

"On the farms we have the labor problem to contend with, but unless the resources are too heavily drawn upon by war, I would call upon all merchants, manufacturers and employers of labor to spare one or more men one day each week to help in the nearby rural districts, so that the lack of help may not retard the farmer in putting forth his very last effort for maximum production.

"The farmers will be glad to pay for this help if it is obtainable. Such help can also be tendered in communities where gardening has been taken up on a large scale, and where labor is needed.

"In addition every man, woman, and child should be instructed to look seriously into the future and boom the utilizing of all yards lots or any place possible for the planting of and care in raising for their own use and for marketing, all kinds of vegetables, both for spot consumption and for winter use, thereby helping to curtail in some important lines the high or nigher costs of living. Even were we not on the verge of war, such matters would be seriously considered, but, under present conditions, they cannot be given even as serious consideration as is necessary.

"The watchword of the day is 'Preparedness', and the unlimited care and raising of vegetables at such a period certainly comes under that heading. Such facts and advice should be daily promulgated in the newspapers through the United States."

Conference Returns Rev. W. H. Williams.

The return of Rev. W. H. Williams to the Penns Valley Methodist charge by the Conference at the close of its sessions in Lewistown, last week, was most gratifying to the members of the charge. Rev. Williams is an indefatigable worker in the cause of Christianity and his sermons invariably show careful preparation and serious thought.

The following appointments were made by the Conference and is a partial list of the charges and ministers in the Altoona district.

Bellefonte—Ezra H. Yocum.
Curwensville—J. Max Lantz.
Howard—Charles W. Rishell.
Milesburg and Unionville—William A. Leplay.
Morrisdale—J. W. Skillington.
Munson—J. B. Durkee.
New Milport—Harry J. Jarrett.
Oscella Mills—G. A. Williams.
Patton—C. R. Petters.
Penns Valley—Walter H. Williams.
Philipsburg—Charles W. Watson.
Pleasant Gap—John H. McKechnie. (supply)
Port Matilda—H. C. Crammer.
Ramey—Charles C. Snavely.
Sandy Ridge and Clearfield—John Y. Cobb (supply.
Shawville—William R. Jones.

LETTER FROM TEXAS.

Californian Visiting in Texas Tells of Fruit Trees in Full Bloom.—Texas Celebrates "Independence Day."

Editors of the Reporter:

I am still a happy visitor in the great Lone Star State. The weather here now is genial and spring-like. All kinds of fruit trees in full blossom. Planters are busy preparing the ground for the great crop of cotton that is raised every year, and which gives employment to hundreds of those that otherwise would be without work.

Last week Texas celebrated Independence Day. They are as Texans, certainly loyal to their State, if cessation of business and display of flags spoke of their fealty to State and Country.

I saw in one of the daily papers where 5000 automobiles belonging to the men of Dallas had been tendered to the Government in case of war with Germany.

One of the greatest treats I have had during my visit here is that of hearing Grand Opera as sung by the Boston Grand Opera Company. They only sang three numbers: Faust, composed by Gounod; Iris and Aids. We had choice seats for every number. I liked Faust best of all. Margaret Teyte sang the title role of "Marguerite;" Faust by Riccard Martin, tenor; Mepistophiles, now called "Mephisto" for short, bass, by Jose Mardones; and a great chorus of soldiers, spirits, witches and street singers.

Faurt had a splendid tenor, and carried his title role with honor; Jose Mardones made a magnificent Satan, from his copper-colored hair and shining face of the same hue, enhanced by bright lights of the same color being continually thrown on him. He was richly dressed in a flowing cloak, handsome kneed breeches, embiazoned sword. His cloven foot, he seemingly tried to hide, yet so evidently wished to display. He was polish and gracefulness itself, and his entire get up startling in the extreme; and yet it made you feel that no matter how fascinating His Satanic Majesty might be, you would never want to come under his power, as did the poor, unfortunate Faust.

Teyte was a glorious Marguerite, alike in the spinning wheel song, on up through the play until the mad death scene. Her beautiful voice held spell-bound both heart and ears of every one in that vast auditorium where 5000 people sat entranced, with bated breath until the last note of her bird-like voice grew silent in death, and we saw her pure spirit ascend heavenward. Faust kneeling in abject terror chanting his grief, and Mephisto turns away, barred by the shining sword of an Archangel, and the curtain was rung down and the band of one hundred and fifty members rose to play the "Star Spangled Banner". Did we realize that it was 12 o'clock midnight? But Gounod is so generous in this opera in the matter of choral numbers and all of the Arias are so glorious, that time is never thought of while under their spell.

Irias was the next number sung, and it too, was fine, the scene being laid in the Flowery Land of Japan.

Aids, written by Verdi, was the third and last number. The scene of this beautiful opera is in Egypt, in the temple of one of the Pharaohs. You see in the distance the pyramids, with the River Nile flowing in liquid melody close by in the soft Eastern moonlight. Aida is an Ethiopian slave girl captured by the Egyptian King, but is indeed the daughter of the Ethiopian King. Amners is the daughter of King Pharaoh. Both had grand voices; and it was again midnight before the curtain was rung down on a very much satisfied audience of 5000 persons.

Should this be thought worthy of a place in your valuable paper, I will in another letter tell of the great Fashion Show held for three days in Dallas, and which brought thousands from all over Texas into this city, as well as thousands of dollars.

I may in a third letter tell about the great Fat Stock Show held in Fort Worth, and which I had the pleasure of seeing.

With many good wishes for my favorite paper, The Reporter, I am,

Sincerely yours,
MRS. DAVID B. KLINE.
411 Sunset Ave., Dallas, Texas
March 27, 1917

Hecker-Kerstetter.

At the Reformed parsonage, in Boalsburg, on Wednesday of last week, Frank Hecker, of Lancaster, and Miss Mary R. Kerstetter, of State College, were united in marriage by Rev. S. C. Stover.

To-morrow will be Good Friday and Sunday Easter.

HONOR ROLL IN SCHOOLS.

Sixth Month of School Term Closes and Finds Perfect Attendance Among a Number of Pupils.

Primary School.—Number enrolled, males 19, females 23, total 42. Average attendance, males 16, females 20, total 36. Per cent. attendance, males, 91, females 88, total 90.

Those present every day during the month are Bruce Knarr, George Luse, James Lutz, Robert McClenahan, John Meyer, Paul Miller, Elwood Smith, Paul Smith, Elizabeth Bradford, Elizabeth Breon, Helen Brown, Elizabeth Gross, Alma Lutz, Catharine Martz, Esther Martz, Dorothy Odenkirk and Estella Ruble. Those present every day during the term are: Elizabeth Breon, Helen Brown, Alma Lutz, and Estella Ruble.

Grammer Grade.—Number in attendance during the month, males 18, female 20, total 38. Per cent. in attendance during the month, males 96, females 95. Per cent. in attendance during the term, males 96, females 93.

Those in regular attendance for the month are: Pearl Ruble, Gertrude Ruble, Esther Wagner, Beatrice Kreamer, Helen Lucas, Ethel Frank, Luella Ruble, Hazel Ripka, Ernest Frank, Frederick Moore, Frederick Lucas, Isaiah Emery, William Sweetwood, Albert Smith, Ernest Kuhn, Harold Breon, Clyde Smith, Daniel Smith, Paul Fetterolf. Those in regular attendance for the term: Gertrude Ruble, Helen Lucas, Frederick Lucas, Frederick Moore, Albert Smith, Harold Breon.

Intermediate grade.—Names of pupils not absent during term: Lottie Keller, Joseph Ruble, Albert Emery. Names of pupils not absent during month: Oscar Colyer, Frank Gross, Franklin Ruble, Joseph Ruble, Ralph Emerick, Albert Emery, Theo. Breon, Ralph Martz, George Lutz, Helen Runkle, Ruth Runkle, Edna Luse, Miriam Moore, Isabel Snyder, Vianna Zettle, Florence Zettle, Helen Long, Mary Weaver, Lottie Keller, Grace Miller, Anna Garis, Mary Weber, Helen Boun.

Examination of Township Scholars.

Superintendent D. O. Etters will hold an examination for township pupils desiring to enter the Centre Hall High school next term, on Saturday, April 21st, in the High school room. The State allows an appropriation for such purposes, and every encouragement should be given township pupils who desire to go beyond the course of studies as taught in the township schools. The number of scholars coming into the local High school from the townships is on the increase and is due in a large degree to the agitation on the part of Prof. Heckman, the local principal, who welcomes the country lad or lassie who has educational ambitions and proves it by traveling from six to ten miles a day in all kinds of weather to reach the school house.

Local Boy an Honor Winner.

The Reporter is pleased to mention that among five honor winners in the senior class of Mercersburg Academy, George B. Boozer, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boozer, of Centre Hall, is fourth on the list, being given what is known in that institution as the New in oration. George has always ranked high as a scholar and will graduate from Mercersburg excellently equipped to step into a higher institution of learning.

From Virginia.

Everybody locally knows Charley Stump and will be pleased to know that he is getting along well in his Virginia home. Among other things Charley writes thus,—under date of March 24, one of the warmest March days, from Fort Mitchell, Virginia: You may tell the folks up there that I am busy at work down here, and am getting along fine. Today it is very warm, real hot. We have had much rain, but it appears to be over now. I expect to be back to good old Centre county about the middle of April.

Virginia is all right, but they do not keep the popular Beech Nut chewing tobacco, so please send me two pounds for myself and my friends.

Wedded While Fire Raged.

While Walter Knepp, of Burnham, and his sweetheart, Elizabeth Benny, of Lewistown, were being united in the holy bonds of matrimony in the Lutheran church at Lewistown, by Rev. M. S. Cressman, on Tuesday evening of last week, fire broke out in a stable opposite the church and soon the embers were hitting the windows of the church in which the young people were being wedded. The ceremony went through to the finish and then the clergyman threw off his robe and engaged in fire-fighting. Three stables were destroyed and a horse and automobile were consumed. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

DEATHS.

An illness of but a few days with pneumonia resulted in the death of Miss Catharine Flisher at her home in Centre Hall on Thursday night at the midnight hour. Having lived alone for many years, neighbors appreciating the seriousness of her illness remained with her from the beginning of her sickness. The end came peacefully, as one in a sleep.

Miss Flisher came from a family that figured prominently in the early history of Centre county. Her grandmother, at the death of the husband, came to Centre county from Dauphin county, with her family of seven children, in 1823, after narrowly escaping drowning in the overland journey with covered wagon, and settled near Tusseyville. Daniel Flisher, one of her sons, was the father of the deceased, his first wife being Miss Polly Boone. Seven children were born to this union, Miss Catherine Flisher being fifth in order of birth. It was while the parents lived near Colyer, May 29, 1841, that the deceased was born. A few years later the family moved to what was to be known as the Flisher homestead, now owned by Isaiah Flisher and tenanted by John Rishel, near Tusseyville. In 1879 the family removed to Centre Hall and for nearly forty years the deceased was a resident here. Early in life she became identified with the Reformed church and lived a consistent Christian life. Surviving her are three brothers, namely, Jared Flisher, of Jamestown, New York; Isaiah Flisher, of Philadelphia, and Daniel Flisher, of Spokane, Washington.

Funeral services were held at her late home on Monday afternoon by Rev. R. R. Jones, and the body was then conveyed to Tusseyville where burial was made in the family plot.

Mrs. Gertrude Music, wife of Elmer Music, died at her home south of Aaronsburg on Friday after a lingering illness with tuberculosis, aged thirty years. She was born in Porter township, Clinton county, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Musser. The husband and one son, Glenn, survive; also her mother, Mrs. Amanda Musser, two sisters and two brothers, namely, Lottie, Louella and Durbin, all of Aaronsburg, and Boyd, of Bellevue, Ohio. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning in the U. Ev. church at Aaronsburg by Rev. W. H. Brown. Burial in the Reformed cemetery.

Court Grants Old Fort License.

Late Saturday afternoon Judge Quigley disposed of the remaining liquor license applications in Centre county which had been held over since license court. There were only three and all were granted, namely, Old Fort hotel, Maynard Meeker, proprietor; wholesale house at Philipsburg and the hotel at Cassanova. The Reberesburg hotel will be without license this year owing to the fact that the late proprietor, Clarence Long, failed to lift his papers before his death, which occurred a few weeks ago.

Two other heretofore "wet" spots in the county became dry on the first of April—Potters Mills hotel, James Moyer, proprietor, and Spring Mills hotel, A. Rockenbrod, proprietor.

There were thirty-two licenses granted this year as compared with twenty-eight last year.

"State" Students Ready to Volunteer in a Body.

If President Wilson calls for volunteers for the army, the cadet regiment of the Pennsylvania State College may be accepted as a unit. Dr. E. E. Sparks, the college executive, has cautioned the students against indiscriminate enlistment, pointing out the advantages they will have in companionship if serving with classmates and college friends. President Sparks urged the students to quietly await announcement of definite plans from Washington before arranging for enlistment. It has not been decided whether the State College troops, numbering about 1,400, will affiliate with the National Guard or go directly into government service.

11 Deer Placed in Blair County.

Eleven fine big deer, all in a healthy state and spry as could be, were liberated in the Riggle's Gap district, north east of Juniata, last Thursday afternoon by the Blair County Fish, Game and Forestry association. State Game Warden L. C. Ale, of Bellwood, was in charge of the release.

The deer were taken to the Gap on trucks furnished by Altoona business firms. The scheme of safe transit was one of the cleverest that has yet been devised and only for this fact was the release made possible at this time.

Keeping everlastingly at it brings success. This applies to advertising as well as to anything else.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

If there are any neglected places about your premises that need brushing up, now is the time to do it.

Mrs. Rose DeWoodie, who has been in ill health for several months, shows little improvement in her condition.

George E. Breon, who is employed as a carpenter at Milton, was home for a few days to assist in moving his family.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer, at the upper end of the borough, on Wednesday of last week. The child is the fourth in the family.

The Milroy correspondent to the Lewistown Sentinel says that W. O. Rearick was appointed last week as Justice of the Peace of Old Armagh township.

Thomas E. Smith, a Haines township carpenter, was taken to the Danville hospital for treatment Thursday of last week. He has been sick all winter.

E. S. Ripka sold his Ford car to H. J. Lambert last week and will purchase a new car this spring in which to make his trips as salesman for the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company.

Every newspaper in the land is devoting space to intensive gardening this spring. The suggestions are being taken for already reports are to the effect that seed houses are doing an immense business.

W. H. Brubaker, of Swineford, and Fred Hare, are canvassing the country for the sale of a number of well known household remedies. The same line of goods is handled by them as was sold by Palmer Dreese, who put in a profitable season in Centre county.

According to the military enrollment taken in April of last year Centre county has 5481 men between the ages of 21 and 45 years who are eligible to be called to the colors in the event of war. Centre Hall borough has 84; Potter township, 206; Gregg township, 191; Harris township, 102.

Mrs. John Snyder, of Oak Hall Station, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Lutz, for a few days last week. Mrs. Snyder recently returned from an extended visit to her son, James I. Snyder, in Freeport, Illinois, and reported having had a most delightful time besides being benefitted in health.

Just when it meant the most, the flag staff at the public school gave way to the high winds that prevailed one day last week. The flag staff was made up of sections of tubular iron. The break occurred at about the noon hour, and luckily when the school children were not at play. About twenty feet of the pole fell.

Winfield (Union county) Camp of the P. O. S. of A. is having erected a building which will be one of the finest homes for an order in the county. A two-story building, built of concrete blocks, is in course of construction at that place and when completed will not only house the lodge but the lower floor will be used as a garage.

During the storm Tuesday of last week the large wooden silo on the farm occupied by Milton Stover, in Penn township, was blown off its foundation. The ensilage had all been fed out as far as the staves went. The roof was entirely demolished and the door frame was broken, but the staves can all be used again. The silo was 28 feet high and 12 feet in diameter.

Messrs. William Garis, John Kreamer and Wilbur Henney, all of whom are employed at Burnham, were home over Sunday. William Garis is employed in the shell works and presented a sample of the work done in his department for use as a paper weight on ye editor's desk. It is a 1 1-2 inch shell that was originally meant to be fired by the British at their German foe, but owing to some minor flaw was relegated to the scrap heap by an inspector. It is of heavy steel, burnished bright, but minus its "insides" of high explosives, its destructive potentialities are reduced to a negligible quantity.

Newton C. Yarnell, of Boalsburg, was in town on business last Thursday, it being his first trip here since the misfortune which befell him last fall while on the farm in which he lost his left arm as a result of having it drawn in a corn husking machine. The grave misfortune, however, has not caused Mr. Yarnell to lose his old-time cheerfulness and optimism, and while deprived of the use of his left arm he manages to put the strong right arm to doing almost double duty. Mr. Yarnell, with the aid of two daughters, is operating the Bell telephone exchange in Boalsburg, and is giving the most efficient service to the Bell's big family.

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Save Pennies—Waste Dollars

¶ Some users of printing save pennies by getting inferior work and lose dollars through lack of advertising value in the work they get. Printers as a rule charge very reasonable prices, for none of them get rich although nearly all of them work hard.

Moral: Give your printing to a good printer and save money.

Our Printing Is Unexcelled

Got Something You Want to Sell?

Most people have a piece of furniture, a farm implement, or something else which they have discarded and which they no longer want.

These things are put in the attic, or stored away in the barn, or left lying about, getting of less and less value each year.

WHY NOT SELL THEM?

Somebody wants those very things which have become of no use to you. Why not try to find that somebody by putting a want advertisement in

THIS NEWSPAPER?

EXPECT TO LEVY STATE WAR TAX

Opinion Expressed by Chairman Woodward That Legislature Will Meet Contingency

PROVIDE FUNDS AT ONCE

Large Appropriations Will Be Necessary, as Soon as Active War Conditions Exist, to Put Pennsylvania in the Forefront of the States.

—Harrisburg.

Chairman Woodward, of the House Appropriations Committee, indicated that it will be necessary for the State of Pennsylvania to levy a "war tax" in the event of active hostilities with Germany. He expressed the conviction that the Legislature would meet the contingency patriotically.

Mr. Woodward said that in his opinion a large appropriation would be necessary as soon as active war conditions exist, to make possible Pennsylvania's stand in the forefront of all the States in the Union. He declared that such an appropriation would make necessary the raising of additional revenues which would be levied by the Legislature to the fullest amount necessary. Such appropriation and revenue-raising measures, Mr. Woodward said, will take precedence over all else in the consideration of the Appropriation Committee of the House of Representatives and will be acted on with the utmost speed.

"I believe not only the Appropriations Committee but the entire Legislature will do anything to provide the necessary funds or any other organization or legislative work necessary to have Pennsylvania take her place in support of the Government," said Mr. Woodward. "I think it safe to say that the funds for such purposes will be provided regardless of what happens to other projects in case war is declared."

Jag Mishap a Liability.

The State Compensation Board, in an opinion in the claim of Miller vs. Maloney, Pittsburgh, affirms the finding of Referee Christley, in awarding compensation to the mother of a man who, while intoxicated, fell from the seat of a wagon which he was driving and was fatally hurt.

The employer argued that the accident occurred at a point which was not in the most direct route that the deceased could have adopted to drive the team to the place of business, and that he was so intoxicated at the time of the accident that he must necessarily have been outside of the scope of his employment.

It is held that the road taken was not out of the direct route and was one naturally taken, and the opinion says: "The evidence showed that the defendant was thoroughly cognizant of the intemperate habits of his employe. . . . The defendant was on notice that he was entrusting his team, as well as his property, in the hands of an employe of well-known intemperate habits, and it now comes with bad grace for him to urge that he ought to escape the liability of law because of the condition of the deceased."

The board also affirmed findings of Referee Smith in the case of Brown vs. Johnston, Bradford, in which compensation was granted for injuries following a fall while carrying a box of tools. A new hearing was held at Bradford in this case.

Seek 4000 Men.

About 4000 men from eastern Pennsylvania are expected to enroll for military training camps this season by the recruiting committee, which is composed of C. Willing Hare, Howard Henry and B. Franklin Pepper. From New York 15,000 will go to Plattsburg, and even little Rhode Island has promised 1000.

Camps are scheduled at Plattsburg this year as follows: First, June 2 to July 1; second, July 7 to August 5; third, August 11 to September 9, and fourth, September 15 to October 14.

Junior camps, for boys between the ages of fifteen and eighteen years, will be held at Fort Terry, Plum Island, New York, and Portland, Maine, from June 30 to July 28, and August 2 to August 30.

An advertising campaign has been planned for the eastern district, and it will include the distribution of 25,000 posters. This year the Government will pay all expenses and will furnish outfits. Recruiting blanks can be obtained at the office of the Military Training Camps Association, Room 117, Commercial Trust Building, Fifteenth and Market streets, Philadelphia.

Revolutionary Inn Burns.

The home of Charles Carey, the old stone hut known in Revolutionary times as Russell's Tavern, several miles from Gettysburg, was destroyed by fire.

In 1794, when President George Washington was returning to the western part of the state, where he had gone to help quell the whisky insurrection, he took a short cut from Chambersburg to the Susquehanna River on his way to Philadelphia, and spent a night at the old tavern. It has been a place of interest for generations.

PENNSYLVANIA BRIEFS

A movement has been inaugurated to save an hour of daylight for Pennsy shopmen at Altoona by turning back the clock.

Twenty-nine Pittsburgh district mines have shut down, throwing 20,000 men out of work, caused by shortage of cars and other troubles.

Skeletons of the heads of two horses were found in the walls of the old Irvine house on Carlisle's Public Square by workmen making alterations.

Disapproving the accepted conclusion that Indians were not agriculturists, 100 boys of the Carlisle Indian Industrial School have formed an Agricultural Association.

The plant of the Weatherly Foundry and Machine Company, which makes anchors for the United States navy and buoys for the lighthouse service will be enlarged.

Announcement was made at Harrisburg that the widows and children of 14 miners killed by an explosion at the mine of the Henderson Coal Company near Cannonsburg, March 13, will receive approximately $35,000 in workmen's compensation from the State fund.

Following vandalism for junk, at Carlisle, Dora Kuhn and Benjamin Epstein have been arrested.

Threatened with suits, Mayor Harvey has ordered Hazleton policemen to pay Philadelphia tailors for their uniforms.

Electric lights have been strung at the Lehigh Valley Coal Company's Drifton shops to aid guards in protection against war plots.

Brooding over his inability to get word from a sister and two brothers in Antwerp, Belgium, Peter Leuchter, aged 75, committed suicide by shooting at Greensburg.

Convicted of dynamiting the Susquehanna River to secure fish, George Burgess and Curtis Vanderpool were fined $100 each and costs, by 'Squire Meredith, at Towanda.

James N. Lightner, captain of the Lancaster company of the National Guard, will drill Franklin and Marshall students.

H. K. Ober, of Elizabethtown College, a Church of the Brethern minister, has been appointed a notary public.

Vincent K. Keesey, attorney for the Board of Poor Directors of York county, is endeavoring to obtain a farm suitable for the new almshouse authorized by a recent act of Assembly. The farm must be within seven miles of York City.

Commission men of Hazleton and Wilkes-Barre are already bidding for the 1917 crops of farmers in the surrounding valleys. It is feared there may be another scarcity of potatoes and the wholesalers want to be on the safe side. This year they were caught short by placing too much dependence on houses in the larger cities instead of buying nearer home.

Fire destroyed the Mills department store at Reading. The loss is about $150,000. A watchman said that the fire was due to the collapse of the hot water furnace in the basement. It simply fell apart and immediately thereafter the flames communicated to the first floor. This is the third disastrous fire in the business heart of the city in a few weeks.

David Price, Carlisle, is recruiting a company of colored troops.

A. P. Hall, Philadelphia, has been appointed an inspector in the Department of Labor to specialize in textile plants.

Dr. A. B. Gloninger, principal owner of the Lebanon Sanitarium, has tendered the use of his hospital and staff to the State and nation in the event of war.

A flock of 30 snow geese flew over Fredericksville, bound north.

The Boyertown Sportsmen's Association is arranging to restock streams in that vicinity with different varieties of fish.

Clarence L. Bright, Reading, was held in bail by a Federal grand jury, on a charge of using the mails to defraud in posing as the Bright Publishing Company, with offers of from $5 to $12 a week, working at home.

Rails have been ordered for the trolley line to be built from Phoenixville to Jefferson, and a new bridge will be erected jointly by the county and traction company over Perkiomen Creek.

John Rohrssen, of Kutztown, who pleaded guilty to operating gambling punch boards, was fined $150 and sentenced to six months in jail.

Rev. H. H. Rupp, who retired from the ministry three years ago and has since conducted a stock and dairy farm near Gibraltar, has accepted a call from the First Reformed Church, Steelton.

The First Methodist congregation, Lancaster, in observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his entrance into the ministry, presented Rev. E. A. Bawden with a loving cup and a purse of $100 in gold.

Hazleton saloonists have barred all pro-German and anti-German talk in their barrooms.

The Baptist Ministerial Association of Pittsburgh has offered itself to Governor Brumbaugh "for any service he may call upon it to render."

Fire starting in the loading department of the Jeansville Iron Works, where shells are being made for the Russian Government and the United States War Department, caused damage estimated at from $50,000 to $75,000, and resulted in the loss of one life. John Pettit, a guard, was burned to a crisp.

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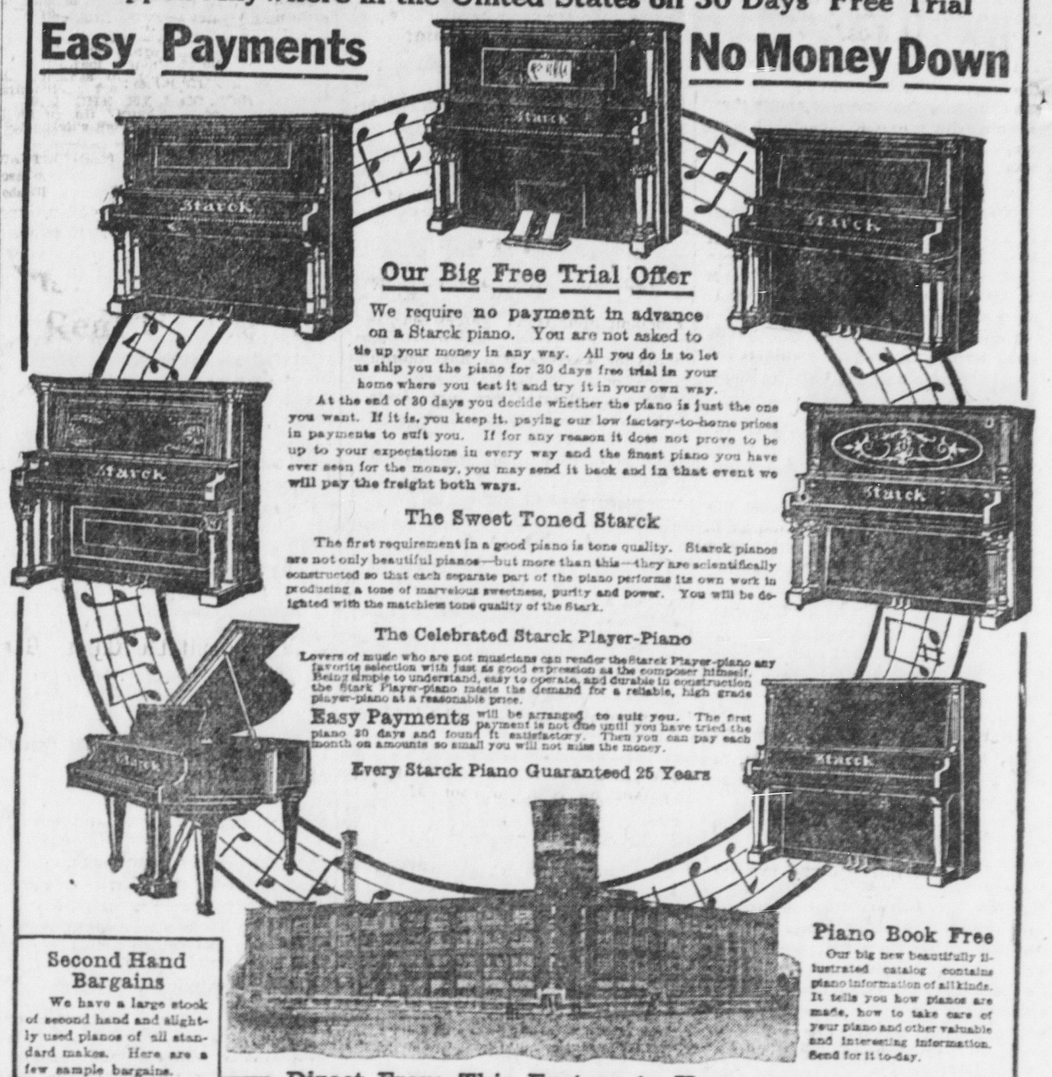

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $2.14½; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $2.25½ No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $2.23½ f o b New York.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1.25 c i f New York.

Butter — Creamery higher than extras, 42@43½c; creamery extras, (92 score), 41½; firsts, 38¼@41; seconds, 35½@38.

Eggs—Fresh gathered extra firsts, 29½c; firsts, 28¼@29; state, Pennsylvania and nearby Western, 34; nearby hennery browns, 30@31.

Cheese—State, held, specials, 27@27½c; do average fancy, 26½@27.

Live Poultry—Chickens, 23c; fowls, 24; turkeys, 25. Dressed chickens, 18@29; fowls, 17½@24; turkeys, 18@34.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat—Car lots in export elevator, No. 2 red, $1.98@2.03; No. 2 Southern red, $1.96@2.01; steamer No. 2 red, $1.94@1.99; No. 3 red, $1.94@1.99; rejected A, $1.90@1.95; rejected B, $1.86@1.91.

Rye—No. 2 Western, in export elevator, $1.62@1.67 per bushel; small lots of nearby rye in bags, quoted at $1.10@1.30, as to quality.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.23½@1.24½; do, No. 4 yellow, $1.21½@1.22½; do, No. 5 yellow, $1.19½@1.20½; Southern No. 3 yellow, $1.22½@1.23.

Oats—No. 2 white, 75@75½c; standard white, 74@74½c; No. 3 white, 73@73½c; No. 4 white, 72@72½c; sample oats, 69@70c.

Butter—Western fresh, solid-packed creamery, fancy, specials, 44c; extra, 42@43c; do, extra firsts, 41c; do, firsts, 38½@40c; do, seconds, 37@38c; nearby prints, fancy, 45c; do, average extra, 42@44c; do, firsts, 39@41c; do, seconds, 37@38c; special fancy brands of prints were jobbing at 48@51c.

Eggs—Nearby extras, 33c per dozen; nearby firsts, $8.70 per standard case; nearby current receipts, $8.55 per case; Western extras, 33c per dozen; do, extra firsts, $8.70 per case; do, firsts, $8.55 per case. Fancy selected carefully candled eggs were jobbed at 34@35c per dozen.

Cheese — New York, full cream, fancy, held, 27¾@28c; specials, higher; do, fair to good held, 27@27½c; part skims, 14@22c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, as to quality, 24@25c; staggy roosters, 18@20c; old roosters, 16@17c; spring chickens, soft-meated, 24@25c; ducks, as to size and quality, 22@24c; pigeons, old, per pair, 28@30c; do do, young, per pair, 20@25c.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—March No. 2 red, $2.01; spot, No. 2 red, $2.01; No. 2 red Western, $2.05; April No. 2 red, $2.01. Wheat is in fair demand, but offerings not free. Sales included one car No. 2 red, spot, $2.01; 6,000 bu No. 2 red, spot, $2.03½.

Corn — Contract, $1.19¾; March, $1.19¾; April, $1.19¾.

Oats—Standard white, 74½c; No. 3 white, 74.

Butter—Fancy, 41@42c; do, choice, 39@40; do, good, 37@38; do, prints, 42@43; do, blocks, 40@42; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 27@28; Ohio rolls, 26@27; West Virginia rolls, 26@27; storepacked, 27; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania, dairy prints, 27@28.

Cheese — Flats, 29c; dairy, 29½; long horn, 29.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 27c; Western firsts, 27; West Virginia firsts, 27; Southern firsts, 26; duck eggs, 33@35.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, 23@24c; do, do, white leghorns, 22; old roosters, 13@14; winter, fat, 25@26; do, poor, rough and staggy, 21@22. Ducks—Young Pekings, 3½ lbs and over, 22@23c; do, puddle, do, do, do, 21@22; do, muscovy, do, do, 21@22; do, smaller, 20. Turkeys—Hens, 28; young gobblers 26; old toms, 24; poor and crooked breast, 20@21. Pigeons—Young, per pair, 35; old, do, 35. Guinea fowl, as to size, each, 35@45.

Dressed Hogs—Choice light weights, 14½@16c; do medium weights, 15; do, heavy weights, 15.

Live Stock

CHICAGO. — Hogs — Bulk, $14.85@15.05; light, $14.20@14.95; mixed, $14.50@15.05; heavy, $14.45@15.05; rough, $14.45@14.60; pigs, $10.50@14.

Cattle—Native beef cattle, $9.20@12.65; stockers and feeders, $6.75@7.85; cows and heifers, $5.60@10.70; calves, $10.50@15.25.

Sheep — Wethers, $11.20@12.60; ewes, $9@12.35; lambs, $12.75@15.35.

KANSAS CITY. — Hogs — Bulk, $14.80@15; heavy, $14.80@15; packers and butchers', $14.50@15; light, $14.35@14.65; pigs, $10@13.25.

Sheep — Lambs, $10.50@15; yearlings, $13@13.75; wethers, $11.50@12.60; ewes, $10.50@12.25.

Cattle—Prime fed steers, $11.75@12.50; dressed beef steers, $9.60@11.50; Southern steers, $8@10.50; cows, $6@10.25; heifers, $8@11.25; stockers and feeders, $7.75@10.75; bulls, $7.50@10; calves, $8@12.50.

BALTIMORE. — Calves — Choice handy weight veals, per pound, 12½@13c; good veals, per pound, 12@12½; heavy, smooth, fat calves, per head, $18@22; heavy, rough calves, per head, $14@16.

Live Pigs—Pigs, as to size and condition, apiece, $2@2.50; shoats, apiece, as to size, $3.50@4.50.

Lambs and Sheep—Choice fat sheep, 5½@6c; fair sheep, 4@5c; inferior, rough sheep, per head, $1.50@2.50; old bucks, as to quality and condition, 3½@4c; fall lambs, 13@14c; do, fair to medium, 10@11c.

TOLD IN SHORT ORDER.

One pair of potato beetles may have 60,000,000 descendants in one season.

Plants developing seed should be supplied with plenty of phosphoric acid.

In Germany a picture has been taken in one ten-millionth part of a second.

At present the fastest motion picture camera takes pictures at the rate of 2,000 a second.

A little more than one-fifth of the population of New York State is classed as rural.

Washington had a special fondness for sorrel horses. He rode a fine one at the battle of Trenton.

The ordinary motion picture camera takes 16 pictures a second. This means that a considerable portion of the action is not photographed.

A cubic mile of river water weighs about 4,205,650,000 tons and carries in solution an average of 420,000 tons of solids.

Short men of Harlem held a meeting recently to protest against the high positions of straps in public conveyances.

The aged King Peter of Serbia has twice during the present war appeared robed and crowned before his armies on the battlefield.

After Brazil, Columbia exports more coffee than any other country, its annual shipments being about 132,000,000 pounds. This amount is reported to be produced by 125,000,000 coffee plants, and each plant is valued at 30 cents.

Weather news is now received regularly by wireless at 270 amateur radio stations located in nine of the Northern and Western States. In this way the wireless operator is enabled to give his neighborhood weather forecast as soon as it is issued.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

An Optimist.

He—Good heavens, the clock just struck one, and I promised your mother I'd leave at twelve.

She (comfortably)—Good! We've eleven hours yet.

HAD A CAPITAL OF $400

In Six Years He Was Well Off

An Alberta farmer, who had borrowed from a loan company, in remitting to them the last payment on his mortgage, decided to give them the history of his experience, on a Manitoba farm. It was that of many another farmer, and for the benefit of those who contemplate a change the liberty is taken of reproducing it.

"I will give you here a brief summary of my experience since coming here six years ago. I was a new hand at farming, my trade being meat-cutting and butchering. My capital was $400, which was a first payment on my quarter section (160 acres). Most of my stock, harness, implements, etc., were bought at sales, all "on time," necessarily. The buildings on the place were about as good as nothing and had either to be rebuilt or replaced entirely. There were 26 acres broken, and very badly farmed, bringing poor returns the first year." After mentioning a number of mischances, he says: "In spite of all these drawbacks, I have done well. I consider my farm worth $3,500 to $4,000. I have four head of horses, 12 of cattle, over 400 purebred Buff Orpington chickens and 125 turkeys, besides implements, harness, etc., to run my place. I have a well 170 feet deep with an inexhaustible supply of water. The well with pump cost me $400. I have built a $125 chicken house and put up nearly $50 worth of poultry fencing; have built root cellars to hold over 3,000 bushels of potatoes and other vegetables. As to income, I raise about ten acres of garden and roots annually which net from $600 to $1,000 total. I generally sell from 20 to 40 tons timothy hay which brings from $6 to $14 per ton. My grain is most all used on the farm except a few hundred bushels sold to the neighbors for seed. My four milk cows bring in from $50 to $80 each (counting calf). Last year 80 hens laid 600 dozen eggs which averaged more than 25 cents a dozen (I always work for winter egg production). The surplus hens were sold in spring, dressed at $1 each. My turkeys average $2.50 each in fall. By having vegetables to feed my young cattle, the two-year-old steers bring $75 each in spring."—Advertisement.

In the Crowd.

"This is a jam!"

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Plain Reason.

"Why do they try new plays on the dog?"

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THE WAR BILL PUT AT BILLIONS

Army and Navy Experts Figure on Vigorous Campaign.

WILL BE NO PASSIVE WAR

Rely Upon Country To Back Up Plans—Idea Of Coast Gained From Experience Of Belligerents.

Washington.—Estimates which have been made for military, naval and economic operations against Germany, in the event of war, are based upon plans for warfare of a most thorough character.

These estimates are not describable in terms of millions, or of hundreds of millions. They run into billions, and will tax the resources of the United States, if they are legislated for as army and navy experts will recommend.

No Passive War.

Official comment upon these estimates will be withheld until war comes, and until the President himself has outlined his policy and proposed his program. After that Congress will have to deal with the question of money-revenue on the one hand and expenditures on the other.

Any feeling that may exist in Washington or outside that anything but a passive war may be carried on without grave cost to the country will, it is said, be removed soon after the Army and Navy Departments have spread before Congress the campaign plans, and have confided to the country the expense which will be involved in their execution.

There need be no surprise if $5,000,000,000 is asked for to finance the first year's work. This is half of the total cost of the Civil War and approximately 15 times the cost of the war with Spain. The cost of the Revolutionary War—$135,193,000—is a mere bagatelle in comparison and that of the war with Mexico, estimated at $100,000,000, is but a drop in the bucket.

The enormous totals which have been arrived at in the army and navy calculations have long been before the President. He has gone over them, up and down, forward and backward, in his consideration of all phases of such a conflict as is now ahead. These figures undoubtedly have caused him concern, but it is not to be supposed for a minute that he has hesitated in fixing his policy because of the money which must be spent.

Nor is it assumed here that the country generally, though unprepared for the estimates, will balk when the time comes to pay the bill. It has been vaguely felt in all quarters that the price would be heavy. The experience of other countries now belligerent has shown that modern warfare comes high. Some of the European governments even now face bankruptcy, but not one of them has stopped to count the money cost.

Current taxes will be increased to some extent. The cost of food and clothing will increase to a marked degree. All this goes without saying. But is is unlikely that in any case the Government will exact anything like as much money from the American people as Great Britain, for instance, is demanding from her people. There is no thought here of a 50 per cent. income tax upon individuals or 60 per cent. levy upon corporations.

This Government will be able to finance a war with Germany without such drastic measures. There are billions of dollars of available funds in American banks.

$10,000,000 RELIEF FUND.

Navy League Will Raise It For the Families of Volunteers.

Washington.—Completion of machinery to collect and disburse a fund of $10,000,000 for families of 100,000 naval volunteers in case of war, was announced by the Navy League of the United States at a meeting at which Sir Herbert B. Ames, organizer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, was the principal speaker.

WILSON INDORSES FUND.

Commends the Work of Raising $10,000,000 for Jewish Sufferers.

Washington.—President Wilson sent a telegram indorsing the raising of a $10,000,000 fund for the relief of Jewish war sufferers in which he said, "The Russian revolution has opened the door of freedom to an oppressed people," and urged that they be encouraged.

HEN SETS WORLD'S RECORD.

Kentucky Leghorn Lays 83 Eggs In 83 Days.

Lexington, Ky.—A world's record was made here in the international consecutive egg-laying contest when Lady Walnut, white Leghorn, No. 707, laid an egg. It was the eighty-third consecutive day that this hen has produced an egg. She is owned by Dr. R. I. Ireland, of Louisville, Ky. The best previous record was 82 eggs in that many consecutive days.

ARMED NEUTRALITY

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U. S. WILL AGREE TO NO COMPROMISE

War is Inevitable Unless Germany Backs Down.

ISSUE HAS NOW BEEN MADE

Von Bethmann-Hollweg's Speech Brings No Change In the Situation—President Sounding Sentiment.

Washington.—Only the cessation of Germany's ruthless campaign of death and destruction against American shipping can alter the course which President Wilson and his advisers have laid down for the United States. This was the determination of the administration following the receipt in Washington of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's discussion of the German-American crisis before the German Reichstag. The German Chancellor, while he declared that Germany has never desired and does not now desire war with the United States, made no announcement as to any change in Germany's campaign of devastation at sea. His statement that if the United States considers the submarine campaign a cause for declaration of war, Germany will not "have to bear the burden of responsibility for it," and that the German nation "shall also bear and overcome this," was accepted in Washington as voicing Germany's determination to maintain the war against American shipping in the face of the obvious preparations of the United States for impending war

Germany, it was said, was consistently attempted to lay the blame for her acts on other nations. On previous occasions President Wilson has taken the position that Germany is in no way justified in carrying on submarine ruthlessness because of the British blockade.

CANADA DISCUSSES HEAD TAX.

Charge Of $8 On Travelers Entering United States.

Toronto, Ont.—A head tax of $8 on all travelers entering the United States from Canada, said to be under consideration by the Dominion Government, was discussed at a meeting of Canadian Railway officials at Niagara Falls. The new tax will become effective after May 1, it is understood. The money is to be refunded on the traveler's return to Canada.

TO MAKE GEORGIA "BONE DRY."

Legislature Passes Bill Barring Liquor From State.

Atlanta, Ga.—A "bone dry" bill, barring liquor absolutely from the State except for medical, mechanical and sacramental purposes, was passed by both houses of the Georgia Legislature and Governor Harris is expected to sign it shortly. The Legislature, which was called primarily to consider "bone dry" legislation, then adjourned.

TUNNEL UNDER U. S. ARSENAL.

Three Men Discovered Trying To Enter the Reservation.

Watertown, Mass.—An attempt by three men to enter the Watertown arsenal reservation by burrowing under a fence was reported by Patrolman David A. Thompson, who said he fired five shots at the men after two of them had fired at him. While the officer was pursuing two of the intruders, the other ran through the fence hole into the arsenal grounds.

MEANEST KIND OF GHOUL.

Put Ground Glass In Red Cross Bandages.

New York.—Instances of ground glass in bandages prepared for the American Red Cross have been discovered, it was declared in a statement from the organization authorized by Albert W. Straub, director of its Atlantic division.

FACE TO FACE WITH HINDENBURG LINE

British Now Getting Their Big Guns to Work.

FRENCH GROUND CLEARER

British Recognize That Great Defenses Must Be Smashed Before Another Move Forward Can Be Made.

British Armies in France (via London).—The warfare on the western front is becoming somewhat stationary again, as the British outposts and patrols have come face to face with the so-called Hindenburg line, where the Germans undoubtedly will make a determined stand. The position is strong, as they have had unlimited time in which to prepare it far from shellfire, so that the problem again arises of smashing down this defense with sufficient artillery to permit another move forward.

Minor actions continue all along the line between the German rear guard machine-gun detachments and the British infantry and cavalry patrols, but nothing approaching the proportions of a battle has yet developed. The Germans have placed great reliance on their machine guns, as many as a score having been found grouped in one position during the retreat. They also have fortified every possible position in the line of retreat, including barbed wire entanglements about cow barns and pigpens.

The German heavy artillery is coming into play again from fixed positions back of the Cambrai-St. Quentin line. It is reported that the German Emperor recently visited the territory over which the Germans retreated, having come with Field Marshal von Hindenburg, and given his approval of the methods adopted during the retreat.

The British have discovered a plot to spread disease among cavalry horses, a German agent having been found with a vial of bacteriological cultures in his possession and instructions how to use them. The Germans left behind all manner of traps, of which, however, the British and French received information.

TO IMPEACH ALABAMA SHERIFF.

Governor Orders Proceeding After Escape Of Seven Convicts.

Montgomery, Ala.—Governor Henderson ordered the State's Attorney-General to file impeachment proceedings against Sheriff Batson, of Jefferson county, from whose jail D. D. Overton, convicted slayer of Judge Lawler, recently escaped with six companions.

FOR PANAMA DEFENSE.

Board Named To Consider Arming Civil Employes In Zone.

Washington.—A board, consisting of Lieutenant-Colonel Harding, Canal Zone Governor; Major Oliver Edwards and Commander Cone, was appointed by the War Department to consider the advisability of organizing the Canal civil employes for the defense of the Panama Canal.

BIDS ADIEU TO WEST INDIES.

Danish King Thanks Islanders For Their Loyalty.

London.—A Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that the King of Denmark has issued a proclamation of farewell to the people of the Danish West Indies. The King thanks the people for their loyalty in the past.

GIRLS ON HUNT FOR RECRUITS.

Score In Khaki and Army Hats Become Auixliary Officers.

Chicago.—Twenty girls in khaki overcoats and army hats joined the First Illinois infantry as auxiliary recruiting officers. The girls were assigned to the automobile detail which is searching the city for recruits.

TOMMIES SING IN FACE OF DEATH

British Soldiers Maintain Best Army Traditions.

SHIP HAD STRUCK A MINE

Paraded On Deck In Perfect Order. Rescuing Vessels Took Them Off and the Transport Was Also Saved.

London. — The British transport Tyndareus, with a battalion of the Middlesex Regiment aboard, struck a mine on February 9 off Cape Agulhas, the southernmost point of Africa. The men were paraded on deck, and, after roll-call, began to sing while they waited for the ship to sink.

The Tyndareus, however, was saved and the troops were transferred to two rescuing steamers, having upheld, as expressed in the official admiralty report, "the cherished traditions of the Birkenhead."

The admiralty issued the following statement on the incident:

"The admiralty transport Tyndareus, with a battalion of the Middlesex Regiment aboard, struck a mine at 8 in the evening of February 9 off Cape Agulhas. A strong southwesterly gale was blowing and immediately after the explosion the ship began to settle by the head, with propellers out of the water.

"'Assembly' was sounded and the men donned lifebelts and paraded in perfect order. Roll was called and upon the order 'Stand easy' the whole battalion began to sing.

"Two steamers dispatched to the rescue arrived on the scene within half an hour. During this trying time, although faced by the probability of imminent death, the troops maintained steadfast courage and discipline. Never was the tradition of the British Army more worthily upheld than on this occasion.

"Thanks to the devotion and perseverance of the captain and the officers, the ship was saved. The troops were transferred to the two steamers and taken to Simontown, where the Tyndareus subsequently returned under her own steam, with two holds flooded and another leaking."

NO ATTEMPT TO DESTROY SHIP.

American Liner Did Not Sight Any Submarine.

London (delayed by censor).—The St. Louis, the first passenger vessel carrying the American flag to cross the Atlantic since Germany's declaration of unrestricted submarine destruction, and the first armed American liner to enter an European port since the war began, arrived Monday morning. She carried a meager number of passengers—33 all told—but her holds were filled to capacity with non-contraband freight.

The St. Louis came through without interruption. No submarines were sighted, nor were there at any time any indications that German undersea boats were after the big liner. If any of them saw the St. Louis they made no attempt to destroy her, but kept carefully away from the guns of the American ship.

LATEST PEACE RUMOR.

A Bourse Report That Germany Ha Offered Terms To Russia.

London.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam says:

"According to a Berlin telegram received by the Amsterdam Bourse, Berlin is filled with rumors that Germany has offered a separate peace to Russia. The terms offered are said to be complete autonomy to Poland, the internationalization of Constantinople, the evacuation by Russia of Austrian territory and a Russian protectorate over Armenia."

BRITISH WILL GET APPAM.

Supreme Court Orders German Prize Returned To Former Owners.

Washington.—The Supreme Court Monday ordered a mandate issued immediately turning over the German prize steamer Appam, interned at Norfolk, and her cargo to British owners. The mandate was asked for by the owners. Several weeks ago the Court said Germany could not retain the steamer.

DYNAMITE BOX UNDER BRIDGE.

Federal Authorities Making Investigation Of Find.

Charleston, W. Va.—The finding of a box such as is used in discharging dynamite and other high explosives under the West Virginia end of the Ohio river bridge at Point Pleasant was reported to the United States District Attorney's office here. An investigation is being made by Federal authorities.

MORE CHASER BIDS.

Navy Department Plans To Open Offers On Wednesday.

Washington. — Cutting down delay by days and hours, the Navy Department announced it would endeavor to open bids for a number of new submarine chasers on Wednesday instead of next Saturday.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Couldn't Suit Her.

"Do you guarantee these colors fast?" asked the customer at the hosiery counter.

"Certainly not, madam," replied the new clerk in the fullness of his knowledge. "Black is never considered a fast color, you know. But I can show you something pretty swift in stripes."

SKIN-TORTURED BABIES

Sleep, Mothers Rest After Treatment With Cuticura—Trial Free.

Send today for free samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and learn how quickly they relieve itching, burning skin troubles, and point to speedy healment of baby rashes, eczema and itchings. Having cleared baby's skin keep it clear by using Cuticura exclusively.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Blissful Ignorance.

"It's just as well, perhaps, that the world didn't know what militarism had up its sleeve for the last forty years. Where ignorance is bliss, you know—"

The speaker was Glenn Curtiss, the famous airplane builder. He went on:

"It's like the case of Mrs. Rayke.

"'Aren't you worried,' a friend asked her, "when you don't know where your husband stays so late every night?"

"'Not so much worried, probably,' Mrs. Rayke replied, 'as I would be if I did know.'"—Buffalo Express.

Children Often Suffer From Bladder Weakness

Some six months ago my daughter began taking Swamp-Root. She is a child twelve years of age. Ever since infancy she has been suffering with bladder weakness. I cannot say just all that it has cost us in the purchase of various remedies, none of which seemed to do her much good; as a last resort I was induced to try Swamp-Root. I feel so well pleased with the results obtained that I want every mother to know that Swamp-Root can be relied upon to cure weakness of the kidneys and bladder in cases of this kind.

Yours very truly,
MRS. MARTHA GODWIN,
3812 Pleasant Place,
Baltimore, Md.

June 12, 1916.

Subscribed and sworn to this 16th day of June, 1916.

HOWARD A. SWEETEN,
Notary Public.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

A Turn Down.

The late Jack London once arranged with a magazine editor to do a short story for $1,500.

"And," said London, hopefully, the deal being concluded, "can I have the money now, before I write the stuff?"

The editor gave a laugh and a shrug.

"Your stories, my dear London," he said, "are immortal, but you, unfortunately, are not."

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System

Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

The Likeliest One.

"Whom shall we send to write up this bear story?"

"Why not send a cub reporter?"

Anoint the eyelids with Roman Eye Balsam upon retiring at night, and in the morning observe the refreshed and strengthened sensation in your eyes upon arising. Adv.

Even a well-preserved woman may have an acid disposition.

If you have a little success don't camp on it for the rest of your life.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book.
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THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1917

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Legal notices, twenty cents per line for three insertions, and ten cents per line for each additional insertion.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian.—Preaching service and the Lord's Supper at Centre Hall at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

United Evangelical.—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Reformed.—Spring Mills, morning, communion; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Lutheran.—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

JURY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. C. Ripka, of Centre Hall borough, as a candidate for the nomination of Jury Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, at the Primaries, September 18, 1917.

NEWS OF 1882.

May 4.—Shut in with toll-gates on all sides and with no whiskey in its hotels, the borough of Millheim can assume an enviable air of independence.

Landlord Meyer had his hotel sign go through the hands of an artist, who set it off with a gay American eagle and gilt lettering. Nice and fresh as the sign looks, the hotel under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Meyer surpasses it.

Horace Zerby, of Centre Hall, has the contract for a new brick school house, at Siglerville, Mifflin county, at $2000.

Ursinus Hoffer has become a partner with his father, John Hoffer, in the store at Bellefonte.

Mike Condo was able to be in town again after a painful siege of rheumatism.

Here is the liquor forces' last straw in their effort to ward off national prohibition: "Alcohol is absolutely indispensable to the manufacture of the only kind of powder that can be used by the United States Army and Navy." They therefore contend that the worst enemy of our country is he who brings about the enactment of "dry" laws. It's a song in a new key, but it's decidedly flat.

Mr. Sydney Brooks, the British publicist, might do well to criticise his own government rather than ours in matters pertaining to military affairs. It is very true that one of the ways to help this government is not to make a fool of yourself, and while this applies more to citizens of the United States it might be a good motto for Englishmen on our free soil. Mr. Brooks could not criticise his home government in the same way he undertakes to criticise the government that is preparing to keep England from destruction. One thing, however, is certain, President Wilson is not being governed any more by English than by German subjects.

It looks as though we were getting back to the old times of clerks, jurors, apprentices, tradesmen, etc., helping out the farmers during the short throng season of the year. At least this is what Secretary of Agriculture Patton is advocating through the press of the state. But here comes the trouble: there are not one tenth of the number of clerks, jurors, apprentices and tradesmen throughout the country districts that were available when the custom was in vogue. The truth of this latter assertion will convince anyone who today would undertake to secure a helping hand from the store or shop—the man to be spared is not.

Less Cats.

10,000,000 cats in Pennsylvania should be killed off, is the idea of Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, state game commissioner, because they cause a loss of $15,000,000 annually. At any rate, some measure promises to be adopted at Harrisburg which will cut down the house cat tribe in the state. The chief charge against pussy is that she destroys too many song and insectivorous birds.

TRAIN KILLS TEAM HORSES; NARROW ESCAPE FOR FARMER.

James C. Whitmer Drives on Railroad Track Near Milesburg and Escapes Death by Close Margin.—Horses Torn to Pieces.

James C. Whitmer, a prominent farmer of Boggs township, escaped death by the narrowest margin on Saturday evening near five o'clock, when his team of horses were instantly killed by a freight train which struck them as he attempted to pass over a crossing a short distance below the Milesburg railroad station. Mr. Whitmer was driving home from a sale in a two-horse wagon and failed to see the approach of the train until too late. His team of horses were literally torn to pieces, while Mr. Whitmer was thrown to the ground and sustained a broken arm and bruises about the body. He was thought to be dead when picked up but revived later at the Bellefonte hospital and latest reports are that prospects for his recovery are good.

After Mr. Whitmer recovered sufficiently to tell the story of the accident he declared that he saw the train in time to have avoided the crash but the horses became frightened at the close proximity of the train and stood dumfounded on the tracks.

Mr. Whitmer is about sixty years of age, and is a son of the late William Whitmer. Mrs. Margaret Thomas, of Centre Hall, is a sister.

Lodge Notes.

On Monday night ten auto loads of Rebekahs, the sister organization of the I. O. O. F., from Centre Hall, journeyed to Millheim to confer the degree upon a class of twelve candidates in the Millheim order. Forty-nine members of the local order were represented and this number was augmented by an auto load from Linden Hall and one from Mifflinburg. A very interesting business session was held after which the big host of visitors were treated royally at the banquet board. The following from this place were present: Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mark, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lutz, Mr. and Mrs W. E. Tate, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Puff, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Ripka, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Auman, Mr. and Mrs. George Heckman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dutrow, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Homan, Mrs. J. H. Knarr, Mrs. Clyde Bradford, Mrs. Flora Vonada, Mrs. John Luse, Mrs. Wesley Tressler, Mrs. Lucy Henney, Mrs. Tammie Keller, Mrs. Wesley Whiteman, Mrs. L. L. Smith, Mrs. T. L. Smith, Mrs. T. L. Moore, Mrs. Andrew Zettle; Misses Anna Dutrow, Maude Meeker, Lena Emerick, Mary Whiteman, Tillie Keller, Elsie Moore, Grace Ripka, Mamie Brooks, Fernie Heckman, Elizabeth Fetterolf; Messrs. C. D. Bartholomew, C. T. Crust, William Bradford, Roy Garbrick.

On Tuesday evening forty-one members of Centre Hall Lodge, I. O. O. F., including the degree staff, motored to Milroy in eight cars and conferred the second degree upon a class in that lodge. Installation of officers was also a part of the program. The Milroy lodge owns its home and is one of the oldest orders in this part of the state. The visitors were treated to a ham and egg supper upon their arrival in Milroy and at the close of lodge refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, etc., were served.

Installation of officers will take place in Centre Hall lodge, I. O. O. F., on Saturday evening, April 14th. D. D. Grand Master Edward Owens, of Bellefonte, will be the installing officer. His term expires with the installing of the officers in the various lodges in his district for the next term.

Easter at Meiss Store.

The Meiss store at Colyer is an attractive place for the children because of the big assortment of Easter eggs and rabbits in chocolate form. Mr. Meiss invites all to come to his store before Easter.

Story and Song Service.

"The Centurion," a pretty story and song service, will be rendered in the Reformed church in this place on Easter evening.

48 Bars Closed in Blair County.

Judge Thomas Baldridge, of Blair county, administered a sledge hammer blow at the liquor forces on Saturday when he withheld decisions on forty-eight hotelmen, granting only eleven others license for this year. Consequently the towns of Tyrone, Bellwood, Hollidaysburg and the greater part of Altoona will be "dry," for a while at least, for their old licenses expired with the last day of March.

Flagrant violations of the judge's decree a year ago regarding the indiscriminate sale of bottled stuff is the cause of the hold up.

The first forest fire to occur in Centre county this year happened on the land of Frank P. Blair, near Waddle, on Monday of last week. However the ground and under leaves were too wet for it to make much headway, and as the land had been burned over last year the damage was not great.

BOALSBURG.

Paul C. Rupp, of Pitcairn, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rupp.

Miss Cathryn Dale spent Friday afternoon in Bellefonte.

David Stuart, of Ingram, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Ethel Gingerich spent the week end with Mrs. Luther Zerby at State College.

Clement Dale and wife, of Houserville, spent Sunday afternoon at the A. W. Dale home.

Mrs. Alice McKirk and daughter, Henrietta, of Bellefonte, visited the former's mother, Mrs. Henrietta Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks, Christina and David Weaver, of Pleasant Gap, were Boalsburg visitors on Sunday.

Klecknor Reish, of Altoona, spent several days with Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller, here.

Miss Rosalie McCormick spent the week end with her parents at Hublersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitz and son, of Stonevalley, were recent visitors at the home of Henry Reitz.

Charles Fisher, of Danville; Frank Fisher and son William, of Altoona, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. E. A. Fisher.

Mrs. Charles Mothersbaugh and son spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Homan, at State College.

George Houtz moved to the house vacated by E. M. Kunn and Cyrus Barr moved to the house vacated by George Houtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood, of Milesburg, spent Sunday at the home of the latter's brother, Charles Faxon, in this place.

Miss Hester Smull and Messrs. Earl Smull and Russell Auman, of Rebersburg, spent Sunday at the A. J. Hazel home.

Mrs. Woods was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Johnston, of Crafton, who will spend several months with her mother.

Mrs. O. L. Mothersbaugh entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meyer, S. E. Weber and sister Annie and Miss Annie Lohr at a dinner on Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. A. Fisher, Mrs. John Jacobs, Mrs O. L. Mothersbaugh and Mrs. George Shugart spent Thursday of last week at the home of E. W. Hess, at Shingletown.

There will be services in the Lutheran church Thursday evening, April 5; Friday evening April 6; Saturday evening, April 7; and Communion Services on Sunday, April 8.

Mrs. M. A. Woods, who spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Glenn, of Bradford, and Mrs. Bryson, of Derry, returned to her home last Friday.

Linden Hall

Miss Mary Delinda Potter spent a few days last week with Mrs. Wieland.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell and son Donald were guests of the Misses Potter, on Saturday.

Dr. Kent returned to his home last week after spending sometime with friends in Brooklyn.

William Glasgow met with a painful accident while helping saw wood when a nail penetrated his foot, causing much suffering.

J. L. Tressler moved on Tuesday to Centre Hall and Wm. Catherman back from Boalsburg to his own property, vacated by Mr. Tressler.

Harry Keller, accompanied by his mother and Mrs. Wesley Tressler, Miss Grace Ripka and Mrs. Reifsnyder went to Millheim Monday evening to a Rebekah meeting.

Mrs. Harry Bennet came over from Zion on Saturday for the Garbrick sale and spent the week-end with Mrs. George Searson.

Mrs. J. H. Ross and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent a few days last week with Charles Ross and family at Pine Grove Mills. On their return they brought with them little Robert Ross, who will spend some time with his grandparents.

Deaths of Centre Countians.

William Dailey, formerly of near Waddle, committed suicide by shooting in the Vanderbilt hotel, New York City, Sunday a week ago. He at one time was a high paid grocery salesman, but met with severe financial reverses.

William Dunkle, at the Danville State hospital, aged seventy years. He was born at Hublersburg.

Gladys A. McAulay, aged eleven years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McAulay, of Walker township.

Mail Order Competition.

The local merchant has learned—or is learning—how to compete with and to largely eliminate the mail order house in his local field.

He has always been in a position to compete in value-giving with the catalogue houses. His mistake has been in failing to get this fact thoroughly endorsed and accredited. He will not continue to make that mistake.

In advertising he has all the advantage in his favor. He advertises to people he knows. He advertises to them through the newspaper they know—through which they gain their views of things day by day.

Every other wagon that passed through town on Monday and Tuesday contained a "flittin'."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WANTED.—Good girl or woman for general housework. Apply to MRS. CHARLES A. RICE, Reedsville, Pa. tf.

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A Full Line of
WALTER A. WOOD
FARM IMPLEMENTS

Crown Grain Drills, Black Hawk Corn Planters, Krouse Cultivators, Binder Twine.

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New Spring & Light Weight Goods for Suits and Dresses

White Goods
Sheeting
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Dress Gingham
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Percales and Linens
Ready-made Underwear
Gauze
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Long Cloth and Muslin
Ready-made Aprons
Old-Fashioned Calico for Quilts

SUNBURY BREAD EVERY DAY

Store closes every Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

H. F. Rossman
SPRING MILLS, PA.

STUDENTS!
The
Spring Mills Normal
will open about
MONDAY, APRIL 25th
for Six Weeks' Term

Any Grade Scholars Admitted

Special Attention Given Those Who Wish to Prepare for College or for Teaching.

Normal will continue throughout the summer for those desiring to continue studies.

For further particulars address—
W. V. GODSHALL, B. S., M. S.
Spring Mills, Pa

Build to LAST, Mr. Farmer!

Don't begin this Spring to patch up spots about the house and barn with lumber. To do that simply means to repeat the operation in a few years. Neither is it wise to build new with lumber where cement can be used. Nothing is coming into greater use on the farm than cement for building and repairing. But remember, when thinking of buying cement don't merely ask for "cement", but be sure that you get

ALPHA PORTLAND CEMENT

You will then be sure that you have the best. Concrete work made from this brand is bound to stand the most severe tests, and you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have BUILT TO LAST.

We are ready to supply you with Alpha Portland Cement.

BAUGH'S FERTILIZER

A big supply of this old reliable crop producer on hand and we will be pleased to have your order.

We are Closing These Out:

Plows, Harrows, Land Rollers

There are only a few implements and since we have decided to close out the line entirely, some farmer is going to get a chance to buy new machinery at a low figure. If you want it, come soon.

BINDER TWINE

The Plymouth-Cordage brand has proved to give the right kind of service. It's a good twine to stick to.

R. D. Foreman
Centre Hall, Pa.

PREPARED FOR BUSINESS

After being in New York for two weeks I have secured the best stock at the LOWEST PRICES.

A handsome Stock of LADIES' COATS and SUITS

nothing like you ever saw before. Come in to look them over; you will then be prepared for the coming season.

NEW GOODS DAILY

So come early to get the best varieties. Get your outfit for Easter here.

Men's New Clothing at

KESSLER'S DEPARTMENT STORE
MILLHEIM

"Those Pesky Punctures Picked My Pockets"

HOW much money have you spent—how much worry, annoyance and loss of time have you suffered—from punctures and "blowouts"? What would you give to be absolutely *free* from these costly and disagreeable incidents of motoring?

We can show you a way to do it—equip your car with ESSENKAY, the *real* substitute for air in automobile tires and never again will a "flat tire" have any terrors for you.

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ESSENKAY Tire Filler is no experiment. It is a demonstrated positive success it prevents punctures and "blowouts," doubles tire mileage, cuts tire cost in half; rides like air over smooth surfaces and easier than air over rough roads; does away with the expense and added weight of extra tires, tubes, rims, etc.

We are the exclusive agents for ESSENKAY. We install it in your car, and give you a careful, continuous, personal service that insures you absolute freedom from tire troubles.

Come in Today—Don't Delay!

D. S. ISHLER, Agent, Centre Hall, Pa.

LOCALS.

J. P. Heckman, of Spring Mills, was a business caller at this office last Friday.

James Keller, student at Franklin and Marshall College, is spending the Easter vacation at home.

Irvin Showers and family, of State College, were in town beginning of the week looking after their property.

W. S. Krise and daughter Elizabeth, of Johnstown, spent a few days beginning of the week with the former's father, Prof. W. A. Krise.

To my patrons: I will be in Centre Hall during the week beginning April 9th with a fine line of samples of hoisery.—Mrs. C. E. Royer.

Have you seen the new two-dollar bills? They are quite handsome, but will go no further in purchasing a bushel of potatoes than one of the old kind.

Miss Laura Mitterling left on Monday for Cumberland, Maryland, to spend some time with her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. Fred. W. Barry.

Samuel Gingerich reported Mrs. Gingerich as somewhat improved in health, and is now able to be out of bed. She had been confined to bed for some time.

April should prove to be a most delightful month, full of sunshine and blue sky, for wasn't last Friday such a day, and wasn't it the last Friday in the month? Sure.

The split-log drag is being used on the mountain road, taken over by the State last summer. It is the first work done since the turnpike company sold the road.

R. C. Yoder was obliged to postpone his sale of western horses at Centre Hall, which was scheduled for Tuesday, until today (Thursday) owing to delay in transportation.

William Gfrerer, the fence builder, as soon as the roads are fit to travel by one inexperienced in running an automobile, will be sporting a Ford car which he recently purchased.

Clyde Bradford, who was engaged in dray work for a number of years, sold his horse to Clement W. Luse last week, and commenced work on the local railroad section on Monday morning.

Frank P. Geary has started to make improvements in the home which he purchased. A new stairway is being built and it is also his intention to install bath room fixtures, besides digging a cesspool.

Here we are in the first week of April and no farm work done. It will be a matter of push and pull with the average farmer to sow and plant an increased acreage with the limited help obtainable.

Miss Hazel Emery, oldest daughter of Merchant and Mrs. C. F. Emery, has succeeded Ralph E. Dinges behind the counter in her father's store. Her pleasing manner is sure to make her a valuable clerk.

Advice to the thrifty active women folk: Don't pile up the rubbish in the back yard and set it on fire. If you have a husband, let him do this work; if you are alone in the world, let the rubbish rot or get a man.

Mrs. M. E. Strohm has returned to her home in this place, having spent the winter with her daughters, Mrs. A. E. Person and Mrs. A. R. Burkholder, of Phillipsburg, New Jersey, and her son, R. T. Strohm, of Scranton.

Relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Miss Catherine Flisher, on Monday were her two brothers—Jared Flisher, of Jamestown, New York, and Isaiah Flisher, of Philadelphia; the latter's daughter, Miss Margaret Flisher, of Philadelphia, and D. Earl Fleming, a nephew, of Baltimore, Maryland.

Messrs. Clyde Bradford, Ralph E. Dinges and Orvis Meyer were added to the local section crew on the L. & T. railroad, and commenced work on Monday morning. The crew now numbers eleven men with Levi Hartley as boss. The big force of workers was made necessary owing to the reduction of the number of sections on the road and the consequent increase of miles of track per section.

G. R. Meise, the merchant at Colyer, closed a busy season with his candy and peanut stand which has proved to be a necessary adjunct of public sales. The crunching of peanuts while keeping an eye on the auctioneer appears to be as necessary to the full enjoyment of the occasion as to watch a three-ring circus with a poke of the "circus berries" on the lap. Fifty bushels of the nuts, measured out in five cent bags, were disposed of by Mr. Meise at the principal sales in the valley.

Mr. Probyn, the Altoona Tribune's "Observer," on his way to State College during the height of the public sale season in Centre county, was held up for a time by the cry of the auctioneer's "going, going," and was amazed when he saw geese knocked off at $4 each, the common everyday chicken soaring to $1.25 each, while farming implements went for $10 to $20 more than they would cost new at the factory. "What is the reason for such high prices?" he inquired of a farmer standing nearby, and he got this answer: "Don't know—goin' crazy, I guess."

LOCALS

Miss Laure Ishler, of Linden Hall, was the guest of Miss Catherine Bradford over Sunday.

Mrs. Rebecca Emerick returned from a visit to her daughter at Saint Mary's, Elk county.

Mrs. S. S. Kreamer and daughter, Miss Rebecca Kreamer, visited friends in Georges Valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Heckman, of Millheim, assisted their son, Prof. W. O. Heckman, in moving on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. Bartholomew and daughter, of Altoona, were guests of relatives in Centre Hall over Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Reish, Mrs. J. W. Brown, and Miss Mary Carson, of Milroy, spent Tuesday in Centre Hall with relatives.

D. L. Kerr is in a serious condition. Owing to his advanced age and nature of his illness, no hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Messrs. Ralph E. Bitner and Chester Kurtz, students at Cornell University, arrived here on Wednesday for the Easter vacation.

Thirty-five hundredths of an inch of rain fell during a short downpour on Monday afternoon. Mercury took a tumble as a result.

The new State house in Forester W. E. Montgomery's tailiwick in the Seven Mountains, near Potters Mills, will be painted inside and out this spring.

For Sale—house and lot, known as the Flisher home, in Centre Hall borough, will be sold to close out the estate.—Inquire of J. B. Flisher, Centre Hall, Pa.

The Philipsburg Journal began its thirtieth year as a daily on Monday. It has easily merited the success which has attended the efforts of Editor Bair.

Two dollar wheat made the farmers busy getting it to market. There is but a small per cent. of wheat in the hands of the growers, and the price those who are holding on to the crop will get is a guess.

The trout streams in Centre county should prove to be good fishing grounds this spring for they have been regularly stocked with fingerlings for some years past. The season opens a week from next Monday.

A W. C. T. U. reception for new members and dues social will be held in Grange Arcadia, Friday evening, April 13th. All W. C. T. U. and Y. P. B. members are cordially invited to come and bring a friend.

Coat suits, coats, dresses, separate coats and skirts, made over your own individual measurements. Your own cloth or cloth furnished.—Ladies' Toggery Shop, Bellefonte, Pa. Bell 'phone 224 M. tf

The farm stock and implement sales are over, and a big season it was. Cows, hogs and sheep led all other items when it came to considering advanced prices over last season. Horses sold at very fair prices the good ones at top rates. Cattle fit for killing were higher than ever, and cured meats sold for as much as thirty-four cents per pound.

George Shephard, a Potter township charge for many years, died at the home of Overseer William Farner, at Colyer, on Friday noon. He was aged about eighty years. He was never married, and leaves no relatives so far as is known. Burial was made in the Zion hill cemetery, near Colyer, on Saturday, Rev. F. H. Foss officiating.

Judge Henry Quigley handed down a few rules on Tuesday for landlords to obey, under penalty of losing their license. He suggested that all bars and drinking places be closed at 10 p. m., and on Good Friday, Memorial day, Thanksgiving day and on Christmas. He said that the court would make an honest effort to break up the pernicious habit of men of known intemperate habits getting liquor thru a third party.

Marriage Licenses.

Earl L. Kline, State College
Millie E. Roush, Pine Grove Mills

Paul W. Turner, Port Matilda
Rose L. Neilsen, Kansas City, Mo.

Charles J. Butler, Philadelphia
Janet L. Green, Bellefonte

Hazle B. Johnson, Bellefonte
Ruth F. Norris, Bellefonte

76 Degrees on April 1. No Joke.

Seventy-six degrees in the shade for April 1st sounds as though the Weather Man had pulled off a capital joke by inserting a June day at the head of the spring season. Lawns made a good start toward a green covering.

Will Meet in Millheim.

The Centre County Threshmen and Farmers Protective Association will meet in Millheim on Saturday, April 7th, at 9 a. m. The matter of boiler inspection as well as other important business will be considered at this meeting. It is very important that every owner of a portable engine, as well as every farmer who employs a threshing rig, attend this meeting.—Secretary.

The governor signed a bill making it possible for a burgess of a borough to succeed himself in office.

Spring Mills.

Miss Mabel Allison returned last week from an extended visit to Philadelphia and other points.

John Meyers and wife are rejoicing ever the arrival of a little daughter, on Saturday.

Landlord Rokenbrod moved to Union county, and Perry Krise, of Pleasant Gap, moved into the hotel.

G. C. Decker, of the firm of Decker Bros., sold Agnew Limbert, of Reberburg, a Saxon car.

Mr. and Mrs. Feidler of near Woodward spent Sunday with Miles Johnson and wife.

Mrs. Samuel Long, who was operated on at Bellefonte hospital, is not improving very much.

Sunday was a beautiful day. Those who had automobiles used them; those who had horses drove them; and those who had neither walked.

The following are changing residence: Mrs. Emma Auman moved from the R. D. Musser home to Millheim; Robert D. Musser quit the farm and will retire; Samuel Ulrich to the Allison farm vacated by Mr. Musser; Scott Decker to the farm he bought, vacated by Mr. Ulrich; Mr. Leister to the house vacated by Mr. Decker; Frank McClellan to the farm he bought from Mr. Leister; Louis Rossman to the McClellan home which he bought; George Weaver to the home he purchased of Mr. Rossman; Sumner Vonada to to the farm vacated by Mr. Weaver; Willis Breon, of Nittany Valley, to farm vacated by Mr. Vonada; Christie Musser started housekeeping in his father's house; Warren Stover moved into Adam Ertel's house at Greengrove; Shem Hackenberg moved to the Stover farm; Mr. Boob, of Feidler, moved to the Allison farm, vacated by Mr. Hackenberg; John Snavely moved to his own farm; Mr. Shook, of Feidler, to the farm vacated by Snavely; George K. Long to Madisonburg where he bought the James Gramley farm; Gardner Long to the farm vacated by George Long; Samuel Stitzer to the Woods farm vacated by Mr. Long; and Mr. Vonada, Spring Bank, to the Stitzer home.

Millard Albright, of Yeagertown, moved on Monday to the home known as the Prof. D. M. Wolfe home which he purchased from Gardner Grove; Boyce Brown and mother occupied this home for three years, and moved to the Adam Grenoble home; William Smith from the Grenoble home to the Herring house at Penn Hall.

Samuel Long moved to the B. F. Kennelly house; Lloyd Smith to the Long home; Thomas Shaffer to the Bible house, vacated by Smith; Rollin Kreamer to the house vacated by Shaffer.

Harold Stover, of Penn township, moved to the William Allison house, and Samuel Stover and son James to G. C. King's house.

County Institute November 12.

The annual Centre County Teachers' Institute will be held at Bellefonte beginning November 12th.

Government Weighing Mail.

Every five years the United States government weighs all the mail handled on the many railroads over the country. This is done in order to get a basis to square financial accounts with the different railroad companies. The job is an enormous one and thousands of extra men are employed from 35 to 105 days. The work was begun Tuesday of last week.

Transfers of Real Estate

A. L. Auman et ux to Martha Rosenthattel tract, of land in Penn Twp.; $10.

D. F. Bowersox et ux to A. L. Auman, tract of land in Penn Twp.; $300.

Alfred C. Anson et ux to William P. Wood, tract of land in Potter Twp.; $100.

A. F. Stover, Admr. to F. W. Keister, tract of land, in Penn Twp.; $634.78.

John W. Harter, Admr., to Verna A. Hackenberg, tract of land in Miles Twp.; $2200.

Sarah J. Long et bar to Verna A. Hackenberg, tract of land in Miles Twp.; $1200.

George M. Bloom et ux to Sarah F. Hoy, tract of land in College Twp.; $500.

Charles Wolfe et ux to William F. Taylor, tract of land in Harris Twp.: $300

Fred Garner et ux to M. Gertrude Williams, tract of land in College Twp.; $7000.

M. Gertrude Williams et bar to Fred Garner, tract of land in State College; $5000.

Centre Reporter, $1.50 per year.

SALE REGISTER

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, at one o'clock, Bradford & Son, at the Centre Hall R. R. Station, will sell a lot of New Farm Machinery of all kinds. L. F. Mayes, auct.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10th, 1-2 mile north-east of Oak Hall Station, on the Brush Valley road, C. W. Whitehill will sell: Horses, cattle, shoats chickens, harness, etc.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12th, at one o'clock, Michael Spicher, agent, will sell the personal property, consisting of household goods, etc., of Mrs. William E. Snyder, at her residence, two miles west of Old Fort.

THE MARKETS.

GRAIN

Corrected weekly by Bradford & Son.

Wheat (new)	No quotation given
Corn	1 05
Oats	.60
Barley	.75
Rye	.90

PRODUCE AT STORES

Butter	.32
Eggs	25

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

LEGAL NOTICE.—

IN RE Insolvent Estate of Newton Yarnell. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County. No. 9, February term, 1917.

To the creditors of the above named Newton Yarnell, Assignor:—

You are hereby notified within six months from the date hereof to make proper and legal proof of your claims against the said Insolvent Estate as provided by Section 23 of the Act of June 4, 1901 P. L. 404 and the supplements to said Act, and to file the same with the undersigned, or be forever debarred from coming in upon any fund realized out of said Insolvent Estate.

JAMES W. SWABB, Assignee.
March 15, 1917. (12) Linden Hall, Pa.,

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—

Letters of administration on the estate of Thomas C. Bartges, late of Potter township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

D. L. BARTGES, Administrator.
12o17 Centre Hall, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—

Letters of administration on the estate of D. W. Corman, late of Gregg township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated without delay for settlement.

E. ROY CORMAN, Administrator,
9 o.14. Spring Mills, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—

Letters testamentary on the estate of Nannie E. Krise, late of the Borough of Centre Hall, Centre County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WARREN S. KRISE, Executor,
1288 Franklin Street,
11.o.16 Johnstown, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs Mary Ross late of Centre Hall borough, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, she would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated without delay for settlement.

MRS. SARA BUSHMAN, Administratrix,
12.o.17 Centre Hall, Pa.

Centre Reporter, $1.50 per year.

New Spring Wearing Apparel

At Most Advantageous Prices

This store was never so attractive and so bright with new merchandise in all departments as it is this Spring.

Our Ready-to-wear Apparel is more varied and more beautiful than for many seasons past

New Clothes for Easter

You will want to wear new clothes for this festive occasion, and we most cordially invite you to come and visit our store and make your selection of Easter wearing apparel.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR LINE OF

Ladies' Coats and Suits

FOR SPRING

This line is undoubtedly the finest that has ever been seen in Millheim.

D. J. NIEMAN

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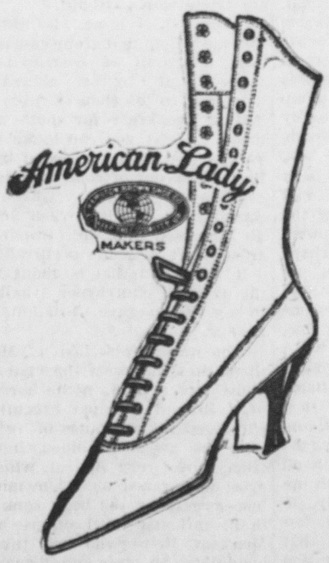

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Here is an article of wear that has reached unheard of prices, but fortunate for us—and for you, too—we bought some time ago at the old price and we intend to give you the benefit. It means a considerable saving when buying hosiery for the whole family.

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C. M. SMITH

CENTRE HALL, PA.

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Woman Thought She Would Die. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. ETTA DORION, Ogdensburg, Wis.

Physicians undoubtedly did their best, battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

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Try Yager's Liniment, the great external remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, sprains, chest pains, backache, cuts and bruises.

This liniment has wonderful curative powers, penetrates instantly, and gives prompt relief from pain.

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At all dealers.

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"Is it true that Mrs. Dubwaite and Mrs. Twobble are no longer on speaking terms?"

"Yes. I fear the breach will never be healed."

"What did they fall out about?"

"They met on the street one day. Mrs. Dubwaite said to Mrs. Twobble: 'My dear, how do I look?' Mrs. Twobble kissed her effusively and said: 'My dear, you are a work of art!'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

5 PIECE TABLE SET 10c—A lovely article of fancy work, latest design consisting of 1 centerpiece with 4 doilies to match on Fine Quality Natural Bleached Art Linen, all for 10c. Extra bargain to introduce our catalogue of exclusive designs. Selma Frank Co., 444 Manhattan Ave., New York

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Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is not a "lozenge" or "syrup," but a real old-fashioned dose of medicine which cleans out Worms or Tapeworm with a single dose. Adv.

You miss getting many good things by failing to ask for them.

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LAX-FOS is not a Secret or Patent Medicine but is composed of the following old-fashioned roots and herbs:

CASCARA BARK
BLUE FLAG ROOT
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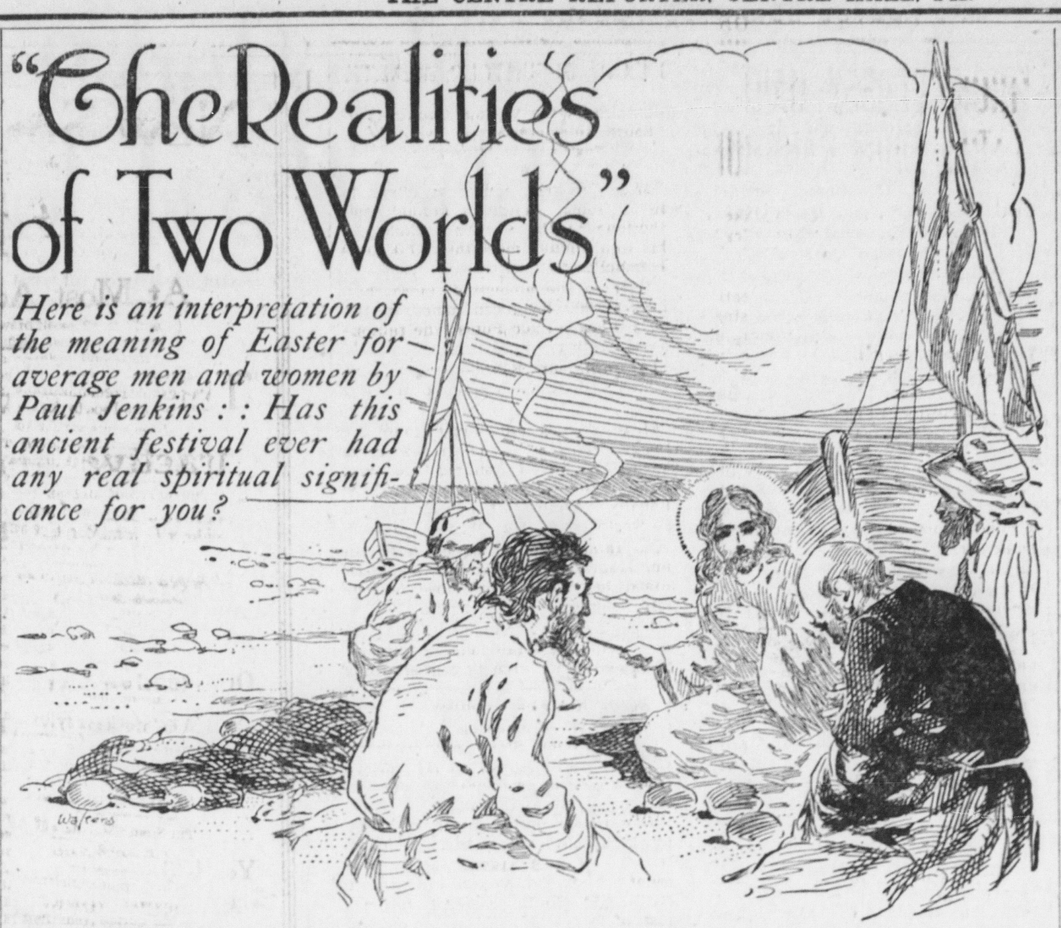
In LAX-FOS the CASCARA is improved by the addition of these digestive ingredients making it better than ordinary CASCARA, and thus the combination acts not only as a stimulating laxative and cathartic but also as a digestive and liver tonic. Syrup laxatives are weak, but LAX-FOS combines strength with palatable, aromatic taste and does not gripe or disturb the stomach. One bottle will prove LAX-FOS is invaluable for Constipation, Indigestion or Torpid Liver. Price 50c

"The Realities of Two Worlds"

Here is an interpretation of the meaning of Easter for average men and women by Paul Jenkins : : Has this ancient festival ever had any real spiritual significance for you?



TEXT—Jesus saith unto them, come and break your fast. And none of the disciples durst inquire of him, who art thou? knowing that it was the Lord.—John 21:12, 7

UNLESS you remember the circumstances involved in the situation described in the text, its words will seem to you unimportant and meaningless, perhaps utterly absurd as the text of an Easter sermon. But if you remember the circumstances involved, those simple words will describe to you a situation than which you can find none more significant, more startling, more dramatic, more thrilling, more glorious, between the first chapter of Matthew and the last chapter of Revelation.

To bring the true situation before you, let me describe a picture of the scene, from the marvelous brush of the French master painter of the Christ, so much of whose lifetime has been given to the production of those wonderful paintings of the life of Christ that have been the marvel of the artistic and the delight of the Christian world for more than a decade. And of all the hundreds of canvases that J. James Tissot has delighted to fill with charming, passionate, dramatic and spiritual depictions of movements in the earthly life of the Savior, that which shows the moment described in our text is one of his masterpieces indeed.

The picture makes the hour of the scene to be, as we know that it was, the most charming hour of the loveliest season of the year, just at sunrise of a cloudless day in spring. Beneath the azure sky and clear in the sunrise glow of that hour, the lake of Galilee shines translucent from turquoise to pearl.

Resting at the water's edge are the two boats, the large and the small, of which we read, simple and clumsy specimens of the boat builder's craft of that day. Oars, poles, and nets in them tell their use. Upon the pebbles lies a hastily discarded net, still damp and dark from the water, and close by lies the heap of splendid fish, fresh, wet, gleaming and silvery in the sun. The coals of fire glow ruddy in a little heap, and a tiny thread of opal smoke rises straight in the air of the windless dawn. On an outer garment, placed blanket-wise for him, perhaps by the tenderness of a disciple, sits the Lord. In even so simple a pose the noble and commanding presence of his personality is yet unmistakable. At his right hand lie heaped up a dozen flat cakes of the newly baked bread whose luscious brown almost suggests their fragrant aroma. On a simple split stick a fish is spitted, and the Lord holds it in one hand above the coals to brown, with the other hand moving in simple gesture and with uplifted face, as he speaks naturally, familiarly, and with most evident fascination to the spellbound men that squat in oriental fashion facing him across the fire. "Spellbound," did we say? You should see the picture to know with what divine power they are held. Motionless as statues, the most of them yet lean eagerly, amazedly, passionately forward, their eyes centered on his face as if no looking would ever satisfy the hearts that feed on the joy of seeing him, hearing him, participating in the heavenly marvel of the hour.

Such is the scene. I cannot know just what it means to you. But may I not tell you what it means to me?

It has been my privilege, now and again, to sit as friend or guest at the tables of the rich, where the snowy damask gave joy alike to the appreciative eye and the touching hand, where countless silver gleamed, where glass sparkled like the diamonds that it approached in value, and where the daintiest china of France supported fish, flesh and fowl of two continents and two seas. It has been my honor, now and again, to sit at the tables of the great, where men of intellect and fame and women of intellect and charm have made an hour unforgetable and have taught one more than a whole university of mere classrooms could do. It has been my profit to sit at banquets where hundreds sat about the tables and listened to the words of heroes, heroes of war and heroes of peace, captains of soldiery and captains of industry, and felt the while they listened, that they were in touch with the men and the forces that move the world. It has been my benefit to sit at meat in the homes of the humble, in log cabins and huts, dining off metal plates and plain fare, and there to learn that not circumstances, but characters make men and women. It has been my delight to sit about the table of the grass, in forests and wildernesses, the campfire at hand and the viands won from stream or forest only by gun or rod. But when I contemplate the circumstances of that morning meal beside the lake of Galilee and realize the realities that were there present—things, emotions, sights, that surpass words to describe—I know that I had rather have been one of those men that ate the bread the Lord baked, the fish his hands caught and cooked for them, that saw what they saw and heard what they heard, than to have attended any other banquet that wealth ever bought or meal that the friends of one's bosom prepared for friendship's tribute!

"Why so? Tell me, who were there? Tell me whom that group consisted of!" "Oh, a group of coarse fishermen, fagged out by a night's work, listening to a chance rabbi who is getting breakfast for them while he talks." Yes; you can make that answer if you have succeeded in wiping Easter day out of your calendar.

Who were there? "Oh, let's see, wasn't that the time when Jesus met his disciples and the miracle of the great draft of fishes occurred?"

It was; and that is about the way the average churchgoer (shall I have to say the average Christian?) would answer.

Who was there? Listen! Men were there that had seen the man in their midst die in pain on the horrid cross of a Roman criminal execution, had witnessed his writhings of agony, had seen the sweat of blood, had heard from those very lips at which their eyes now gazed as if enchanted the last scream as the body sank lifeless in the nail-suspended collapse of death. Men sat there who had taken that body down in tears and dismay and in the shock of disillusioned hopes had buried it and gone away feeling as if their universe had tumbled in wreck about their heads, murmuring to one another as they went: "And this is the end of him whom we hoped that it had been he that should have redeemed Israel!" And that man sat there before them alive! Alive? He had caught fish and made a fire and baked bread and helped them to make one of the great hauls of their fishermen's experience, and now while they sat stunned, amazed, astounded, incapable almost of realizing what had occurred—incapable, as they afterward wrote, of speaking a syllable of inquiry—he calmly served and fed them while he talked to their white faces!

"Oh, impossible, incredible! false, never to be believed! a myth, a lie, a dream, a delusion, a frenzy or fantasy of disappointed, overwrought and fanatical brains." Yes, and if you can think of any other terms of denial to write against it, set it down! And when you have said and done it all, the plain statement of these men who sat there will challenge you to your face to hear them tell you that it happened, that he was there, that they were there, and he whom they had laid in that sealed-up grave sat in their midst in the same body that they had known, and cooked for them and ate and served them as he chatted the while! God be praised for heaven's sweet simplicity, that it was not in some awful, supernal shape, "trailing clouds of glory," that he came back to them, but that it was in the shape of the man whom they had known, had lived with, walked with, talked, slept and eaten with—and lo! before their eyes he moved and breathed and walked and ate and talked, the unmistakable and now incredible, but still actual being that he was before! Oh, if you will let these things, these truths, even this simple scene, get into your head and your heart—what an amazing Easter this day would be to you! "Why?" Because, I care not who and what you have been before, if you have never realized the mighty meaning of this simple scene, you may have known a dead Jesus, but you have never known the risen Savior!

We have asked who were there? Let us take a final moment to ask what else was there? There, in that hour, all the mighty realities of the two worlds were gathered; this world and the next, the world that the disciples had known so long and the world of which they were catching faint but dazzling, astounding glimpses as they gazed on him; the world that he had been born in, lived in, worked in, died in—and the world that he was living in at the time that he ate and talked before their eyes!

The realities of this world were there. Labor was there—they of the toil-worn hands, calloused by the wet net cords, they of the many a night of fruitless toil, they know what the weariness and uncertainty of labor is as few others know. Hunger was there, the meal that his love prepared to meet their famished bodies, doubly worn with abstinence and disappointment. Death was there, the end of all earth—or why the meal to keep the body going, the labor for one's loved ones, and why the amazement at seeing one over whom the omnipotence of death had no power?

And the realities of the world beyond were there. Life was there—such life as never a soul had dreamed of since Adam cowered beneath his sentence of mortality. The body was there; and now we know why it is called the "Apostle's Creed," that says: "I believe in the resurrection of the body!" What other faith, what other verdict, what other creed could they have that saw the nail marks in the hands that served them? Love was there—incarnate in him, who, though already in the life beyond so loved them that he could reward their work-a-day toil and could prepare for them the food that was affection's tribute itself. And the Christ was there!

Language fails. Words can say no more. But this—all this—is the true Gospel of Easter day.

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A New and Tempting Taste:

As toothsome as the name implies.

The third of the **WRIGLEY** trio of refreshing, long-lasting confections.

Good for teeth, breath, appetite, digestion.

Have it always with you—it's a boon to the parched mouth in hot work or on long auto trips.

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Chew it after every meal

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"You can't please my barber."

"Wouldn't you buy his hair restorer?"

"I did buy his hair restorer. And now because my hair won't grow he seems to think I'm putting up a job on him."

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Few persons can be sick who use **Green's August Flower.** It has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart from gases created in the stomach, pains in the stomach, and many other organic disturbances. **August Flower** is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion, both in the stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and whole alimentary canal, and stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Try it. Two doses will relieve you. Used for fifty years in every town and hamlet in the United States and in all civilized countries.—Adv.

A Good Description.

"What does a shad consist of anyhow?" asked the Western man who had never eaten that kind of fish.

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Hard Luck.

Hard Luck—How's the world treating you?

"Not very often."

Polish mirrors with a cloth soaked in alcohol, followed by a soft, dry cloth.

He Was Overlooked.

He was talking very loudly and boastfully in the railway carriage and compelling everyone to hear him, whether they wanted to or not.

"Talking about Turkey," he bellowed, "why I've been to Constantinople ten times at least. Funny thing, now, the way the dogs are scavengers there, and eat everything in the streets. Awfully dangerous to touch 'em. They eat up every scrap of rubbish."

A young lady in the corner said, thoughtfully, "I really wonder you got home alive."

And presently a blessed silence reigned in that carriage.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Had Evidence.

Tommie—Grandma, did you used to lick daddie when he was a boy?

Grandma—Yes, Tommie, why do you ask?

Tommie—Well, then, I guess it's true what teacher said about history repeating itself.

A torpid liver condition prevents proper food assimilation. Tone up your liver with Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. They act gently and surely. Adv.

If you think you can't it's a cinch you won't.

Ajax may have defied the lightning, but he never bumped into a "U" boat.

Farm Hands Wanted

Western Canada Farmers require 50,000 American farm labourers at once. Urgent demand sent out for farm help by the Government of Canada.

Good Wages **Steady Employment**
Low Railway Fares
Pleasant Surroundings **Comfortable Homes**
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Farm hands from the United States are absolutely guaranteed against conscription. This advertisement is to secure farm help to replace Canadian farmers who have enlisted for the war.

A splendid opportunity for the young man to investigate Western Canada's agricultural offerings, and to do so at but little expense.

Only Those Accustomed to Farming Need Apply

For particulars as to railway rates and districts requiring labour, or any other information regarding Western Canada apply to

J. P. JAFFRAY, Cor. Walnut and Broad Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.
Canadian Government Agent

Wife's Perversity.

Old Crabton is particularly severe upon his wife in argument. During a recent passage-at-arms between the two his wife managed to interpose with:

"My dear, I wish you wouldn't be so very positive about everything. Remember, there are always two sides to every question."

Whereupon Old Crabton roared back at her: "Well, that's no reason why you should always be on the wrong side!"

Easily Identified.

A tiny boy stood on the outer edge of the passing jam. His knuckles were in his eyes, and when a woman asked him what was the matter, his answer was syncopated with sobs. He had "got lost from his brother and couldn't find him—anywhere."

The woman assured him it would be all right. She would help him to find his brother. What did he look like? And the tiny boy gave her an illuminating clue:

"He—he wears long pants."

Evident Importance.

"Does your wife attach much importance to you?" inquired the intrusive relative. "Oh, yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "Henrietta realizes that a man she would consent to marry must necessarily be important."

Daily Thought.

Even in ordinary life the unselfish people are the happiest—those who work to make others happy and who forget themselves. The dissatisfied people are those who are seeking happiness for themselves.—Mrs. Besant.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

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When the Indians of New England found plenty of seashells out of which to make their money called wampum, the more of it they would give for a blanket, basket, kettle, pair of moccasins or feather bonnet, says Girard in the Philadelphia Ledger.

The political economy of King Phillip's race and time still prevails. Every day this year the rest of the world has dumped a cool $3,000,000 of gold upon the United States. Now we have nearly 1,000,000,000 more gold than we had when the war began.

If we had cheap wheat, shoes, overcoats, vegetables, or coal after having added nearly 50 per cent to our gold hoard, we should be obliged to tear up all those fine spun and dusty political economy books we were taught in school.

But the books stand, and rightly so, for the very paper they are printed on has been boosted upward by this colossal wave of gold. When this unmatched crest of yellow metal breaks and recedes after the war—well, we shall follow King Phillip and his wampum and pay a smaller amount of it for what we buy.

The Modern Law.

"Look here, sheriff," said the irate householder, "this section is filled with second-story men and sneak-thieves. My house has been robbed five times in the three weeks. Do I get any protection from you, or don't I?"

"I have done all I can for you, Mr. Blickensdorf," returned the weary officer. "I warned you after the second robbery to move out of that house, and it isn't my fault if you continue on there knowing that these burglars are after your stuff."

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PENROSE IN GRIEF

PENNSYLVANIAN DISSATISFIED WITH TARIFF COMMISSION.

Possibly Fears Monopolists Will Not Get the Consideration They Have Always Received From the Republican Party.

Senator Penrose is filled with forebodings for the success of the tariff commission appointed by the president. He is afraid it won't take the tariff out of politics—something he has always contended for and which the finance committee of the senate, of which he is a member, always did when it framed the tariff bill. Was there politics in the Payne-Aldrich tariff? Certainly not.

Then, too, Senator Penrose has no hope that the commission will treat the tariff scientifically. Here again it will appear to disadvantage beside the senate finance committee, which always treated the tariff scientifically. When the committee came to the cotton and woolen schedule, for instance, it sent for the textile manufacturers who knew all about it; and they came and told the committee what protection they wanted. Could anything be more scientific? Instead of that Senator Penrose now looks to see the commission try to find out the facts for itself—and, of course, get them all wrong. That result, as he sees it, is inevitable, for as he looks over the president's nominees he finds but one member—and he is a free trader!—who can be said to have any familiarity at all with this highly scientific and essentially non-political subject. Now, the senator, if he had been naming the board would have named men who did know the subject. They are easy to find—the protected interests would have been glad to submit any number of recommendations.

There is only one ray of hope in the situation which the senator can discern, and that is that when this commission makes a mess of the job the people will turn to the Republican party and its leaders—of which Senator Penrose is one—and with one voice demand a scientific and non-political tariff, such as only the Republican party and its leaders know how to provide.—Kansas City Star.

The Tariff Commission.

The completion by President Wilson of the tariff commission is a matter of great importance to the country. Questions arising out of the European war may make a readjustment of the tariff necessary at any time, and we should be prepared to make these changes promptly and on scientific lines. It would be better if the tariff commission were empowered to readjust rates within certain limits without an appeal to congress, with the consequent possibility of reopening the tariff fight along political lines. We believe it is the sentiment of the country that the tariff shall not again become the football of partisanship, and the president's tariff commission offers the first opportunity to turn the whole question over to experts.

Urges Support of Wilson.

"The loyal support of every true American should be given the president in this critical hour," said Cornelius A. Pugsley, former member of the house and president of the New York State Bankers' association, in an interview at Washington. "No president since Lincoln has been called to meet such momentous problems and responsibilities. All partisanship and selfish interests should be laid aside; sound thinking and cool judgment should prevail. I believe that as never before men and women in all walks of life are thinking upon our great social economic, governmental and international problems, and when our citizenship thinks soberly our republic is secure."

Republicans Interested.

The one issue that the Republicans have always had ready for use ever since Lincoln has been the protective tariff. Many believe that if the tariff could have been brought into action last fall Mr. Wilson would not have been re-elected. They beat Cleveland with it in 1888 and again in 1896 they routed the Democrats with it and the full-dinner pail. It's an heirloom that they would not like to have stolen, even if its days of usefulness were passed, and they are not willing to admit that it is no longer an issue. The doings of the tariff commission will be watched with the keenest interest by the Republican politicians.

All Should Be on the Job.

Though the country does not particularly enjoy having congress in session, it will recognize the great need for its co-operation with the executive at the present time. It is a time when the whole government should be on the job. The president has decided wisely, and his action will be generally approved.

Subject Familiar to Knox.

Senator Knox "amazed" his Republican colleagues a few days ago, by both voting in the foreign relations committee for the Colombian treaty and afterwards issuing a statement in favor of its ratification. The amazing thing, we suppose, was that a Republican senator could be reasonable and non-partisan on this subject. But Mr. Knox does not approach it for the first time. He himself sought a settlement of it, as had Secretary Hay before him.—New York Evening Post.

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"Yes."

"And forty more about what we will have next month."

"And then?"

"That ought to be enough for this month."

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Fifteen million ounces of silver is one of South America's annual contributions to the world's pocketbook. This would make more than 17,000,000 silver dollars.

Silver to the amount of more than $2,000,000,000 has been mined in the last 300 years from Potosi, the famous "peak of silver" in Bolivia.

The hills of South America are seamed with gold. It is found in every state.

All this gold and silver could be studded with precious stones from Colombia. Seven hundred thousand carats of them are dug out of her hills annually. Almost all the emeralds in the world come from there.

Our famous copper mines in Michigan, Montana and Arizona are surpassed in richness by those on the west coast of South America.

Enough silver is mined with the copper of one Peruvian mine to pay all the expenses of the mining, of shipping the ore over the mountains and up to North America smelters. It also pays the cost of smelting.

The Bethlehem Steel works in Pennsylvania could be kept busy for 75 years with the iron ore of one of Chile's provinces, Coquimbo.

More tin is mined in Bolivia than anywhere else in the world except the Federated Malay states, and only a few of the mines have yet been opened.

Although South America imports most of her coal, there is enough tucked away in her mountains to supply the needs of both Americas for ages to come. But there are no railways to bring it out.

Chile's nitrates fertilize the fields of the world and bring her an annual revenue in export duties of more than $15,000,000. The value of the deposits must be reckoned in ten figures.—World Outlook.

When Strength Begins to Go.

A medical authority states that the muscles, in common with all organs of the human body, have their periods of development and decline, our physical strength increasing up to a certain age and then decreasing. Tests of the strength of several thousand individuals have been made, and the following figures are given as the averages derived from such tests—the lifting power of a youth aged seventeen years is 280 pounds; in his twentieth year this increases to 320 pounds; and in the thirtieth and thirty-first year, respectively, it reaches its height, 365 pounds. At the expiration of the thirty-first year the strength begins to decline, very gradually at first. By the fortieth year it has decreased eight pounds, and such diminution continues at a slightly increasing rate until the fiftieth year is reached, when the figure is 330 pounds. Subsequent to this period the strength falls more and more rapidly until the weakness of old age is reached. It is found impossible to obtain trustworthy statistics after the fiftieth year.

Pullman Washrooms.

Pullman washrooms are the only places there are where it is possible to brush your teeth and comb your hair at the same time you are pulling on your shoes. In the confusion of hastily dressing in a crowded Pullman washroom one very often is exasperated to find that he has spent five minutes lathering someone else's beard. Then again it is startling to discover that you seem to have grown bald over night. And to have the fat man whose head you were brushing dig the soap out of your ear with no gentle thumb. A Pullman washroom is excellent in many ways and if you hold a grudge against a man persuade him to dress and wash with you in the same Pullman washroom. You will find it easy to batter and bruise him horribly, though you may have to take an awful beating yourself. Never cross your legs while seated in a Pullman washroom. You may kick someone in the face.—Detroit Journal.

Why They Like to Dance.

It's funny, but the women are crazier about dancing than the men, says the Atchison Globe. In nearly every home in Atchison, Kan., a civil war is raging. The wife is wild to accept an invitation to a dancing party and the husband says he won't go. But he goes just the same. Bachelors grumble about going, too. But they go. Why do women care so much for dancing? One Atchison woman says: "It's because we look so well in our party clothes." Another woman (married) says: "It's the chance we get to talk to any man except our husbands."

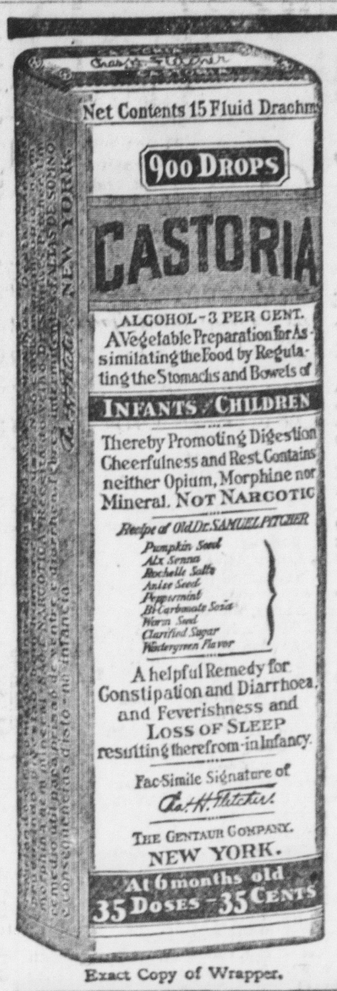
Boiling Eggs in Vinegar.

All albuminous compounds, such as the white of eggs, are quickly acted on by acids. An egg will become as hard by being put into vinegar as if it were boiled. If there is a little vinegar in the water, then, when an egg is to be poached, the acid starts to act on the albumen and hardens it enough for it to keep its shape. This is valuable in serving, because if the water boils too hard it will break up the white of the egg into little flakes and a great deal of it will be lost.

Outgrowing Poetry.

"You never say anything about the American eagle in your speeches."

"No," replied Senator Sorghum. "My people out home got tired of that style of oratory. They sent me word that they weren't keeping me in Washington to specialize on ornithology."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"Then you think I can't learn to sing?"

"I fear not."

"But, professor, I do so yearn to be musical."

"Take up yodeling is my advice."

The Hint Sufficient.

"Pa, why do you insist on my singing when Mr. Rimley calls?"

"Well, I don't like the fellow, and yet I hate to come right out and tell him to go."

For a practical illustration of economy watch a small boy when he has occasion to use soap.

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"Toxic poisons in the blood are thrown out by the kidneys. The kidneys act as filters for such products. If we wish to prevent old age coming too soon and increase our chances for a long life, we should drink plenty of pure water and take a little Anuric," says the world-famed Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y.

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REBERSBURG

We have real spring weather just now.

John Bright and Mrs. George Wate are on the sick list at present.

Harry Wolf left for Maple Park, Illinois, where he will work on a farm.

Adam Wolf and William Zeigler, both farmers, moved to Rebersburg this week.

Elmer Bierly quite recently placed his shingle mill near Smullton where he will operate the same.

William Bowersox quite recently sold his farm, situated near Wolfs Store, to E. Bair.

The dwelling house occupied by George Corman has been quarantined on account of several cases of diphtheria in his family.

Rev. Honsicker arrived with his family at this place on Friday evening and they are now snugly housed in the Reformed parsonage.

Scott Stover and wife and Fred Fehl and wife and several others were to Tylersville on Saturday to attend the Schreckengast sale.

The road supervisor has a crew of men at work quarrying stone in D. D. Royer's lot situated a short distance south of the school house.

Aaronsburg.

The measles epidemic has abated and the children are again in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Hosterman and children, of Coburn, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Amanda Haines.

John Hoover was called home from Milton on account of the illness of his little daughter, Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stover and son Malvin, of Wolfs Store, visited the lady's grandfather, Dr. Bowersox, who is improving in health.

Gillard Eisenhouser is night watchman on the train from Sunbury to Northumberland and likes his job.

T. D. Stover, in his new Ford car, took Sumner Musser and Mrs. Fred Rauchau to Woodward on Sunday to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin.

OAK HALL

The farmers are busy plowing.

Madeline Markle is on the sick list.

Mrs. William Kern spent a few days at Spring Mills.

Mrs. C. W. Whitehill assisted at the moving of her sister, Mrs. Henry Shuey, at Pleasant Gap, Thursday.

Mrs. John Snyder has returned home after spending the winter with her son, James, at Freeport, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shutt and family, of Bellefonte, spent a day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dener.

Mrs. J. C. Gilliland and son and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Campbell attended the funeral of David George Meek on Monday.

Mrs. Charles Emerick and son, of Snydertown, spent a few days with her brother, William Ferree, and family.

Movings: Edward Page from the Kline house to Warriors Mark, Russel Maize from the Ferree house to Lock Haven.

CENTRE MILLS

Mrs. John Syler and children, of Rockville, visited Mrs. Ira Shultz on Sunday.

Miss Mary Weber, of Smullton, came to the Adam Reish home where she will work this summer.

William Stump, of Mifflinburg, visited his parents at Spring Bank over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reish and daughter Dorothy made a trip to Zion and Bellefonte Sunday and Monday.

Theodore, the little son of Wm. Sweely, went to Nittany Valley on Sunday where he will work for his uncle this summer.

William Bechtol accompanied his aunt, Mrs. Lydia Bottorf, to New Berlin, last week where they visited the latter's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kline and daughter, Miss Minnie, and Miss Lucy Jordon spent Friday at Spring Mills where they assisted Prof. Godshall's family to move.

Pleasant Gap.

George Wise, who is employed at Tyrone, was home spending a few days with his wife.

Earl Rimmey, who has been home a few weeks nursing a burned foot, is now able to return to Lewistown where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grove and family, of Tyrone, spent a few days last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. John Herman.

Mrs. Frank Weaver went to Bellefonte to take charge of the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Garret, who took a trip to Philadelphia.

Georges Valley

Mrs. Mary Ripka spent Sunday with friends at Tusseyville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Breon spent Sunday at the John Auman home.

Mrs. Claude Greenbrum returned to her home in Philadelphia after spending several weeks with friends here.

Mrs. Steward Ripka, of Pleasant Gap, is visiting her many friends at this place and Spring Mills.

List of Forest Fire Wardens.

The following list of forest fire wardens for Centre county was issued today by the Pennsylvania Department of Forestry. It takes account of all changes to March 15th, 1917. The Department is conducting a strenuous campaign to reduce the number of forest fires in Pennsylvania. The publication of these lists is part of the campaign. Every reader of this paper is interested in keeping Pennsylvania beautiful and productive, and therefore in preventing and extinguishing forest fires. Clip this list and post it in a convenient place, and when you see a forest fire, notify the nearest fire warden immediately!

Edward Neese, Snow Shoe
Winfield Meeker, Clarence
James Sankey, Pine Glen
Leonard G. Barnes, Forester, Centre Hall
J. C. Rossman, Centre Hall
Clarence Houtz, Lemont
J. I. Reed, Pine Grove Mills
W. T. Wrye, Warriors Mark
L. F. Smith, Spring Mills, R. D.
W. M. Weaver, Spring Mills, R. D.
Domer C. Rachau, Madisonburg
C. D. Moltz, Woodward
A. S. Stover, Aaronsburg
L. L. Weaver, Woodward
J. P. Eves, Stormstown
John W. Keller, Forester, Boalsburg
W. H. Harpster, Boalsburg
W. A. Leech, State College
J. H. Jacobs, Boalsburg
James W. Swabb, Linden Hall
Samuel Shay, Howard
H. K. Mattern, Julian
William Coder, Blanchard
John W. Holmes, Nittany, R. D.
C. W. Bartley, Zion
Clement H. Gramley, Rebersburg
Leslie M. Stover, Livonia
John L. Wolfe, Livonia
Edward Quick, Milesburg
Walter Stine, Waddle
George B. Thompson, State College
Charles R. Meek, Forester, Coburn
E. I. Musser, Millheim
L. B. Hess, Philipsburg
W. E. Montgomery, Forester, Spring Mills
W. F. McKinney, Spring Mills
H. A. McClellan, Tusseyville
Osborn P. McCord, Philipsburg
Milen Hoover, Sandy Ridge
George H. Pfoutz, Sandy Ridge
George Sheeler, Forester, Snow Shoe
George B. Uzzell, Snow Shoe
James F. Uzzell, Snow Shoe
George McCartney, Clarence
J. H. Cole, Bellefonte
W. R. Hoover, Bellefonte
Albert Newman, Port Matilda
Edward T. Hall, Fleming
W. M. Harnish, Mingeville
W. E. Lessinger, Nittany
H. C. Woodring, Port Matilda
John Kelley, Port Matilda

STATE AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

It is reported that the frost penetrated the ground to an unusual depth during the winter, as much as five and six feet in some places.

The scarcity of female household help has decreased the number employed on the farms of the State during the past year almost two thousand.

Westmoreland county rank fist in the number of pure bred stallions on the farm and Washington county leads in the number of pure bred bulls, boars and rams.

It is estimated that Pennsylvania farmers held on March 1, a total of 16,965,900 bushels of corn, almost five million bushels less than during the past two years at that time.

It is estimated that seven per cent. more of 1916 wheat crop was shipped out of counties where it was grown than in 1915. This represents almost two million bushels.

Approximately fifty per cent. of the farmers in Pennsylvania are using lime for agricultural purposes. Reports indicate that farmers generally are pleased with the results obtained from increased use of lime and the tendency seems to be to use still more.

It is estimated that the 1916 potato crop in the United States was 74,284,000 bushels short of the 1915 crop. Germany's crop was 1,212,530,000 bushels short and Great Britian's almost 80,000,000 bushels short. The crop in France was about 15,000,000 short.

Statistics show that about $4,000,000 worth of firewood is used annually on the farms of the State, but Pennsylvania ranks as one of the small consumers in the total of $225,426,000 worth of firewood used on the farms of the United States.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Effie M. Taylor, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will expose at public sale on the premises on SATURDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1917, at two o'clock, all the following described real estate:

All those eight certain messuages, tenements and lots of ground, situate in the Township of Potter, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Purpart One. Beginning at a post corner on line of land of John Fye, thence by land of Jacob Wagner North 87 1-2 deg. East 13 1-10 perches to a stone; thence by the same North 2 1-2 deg. West 13 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by the same South 87 1-2 deg. West 13 1-10 perches to stones; thence by land of John Fye South 2 1-2 deg. East 13 5-10 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 1 ACRE AND 16 3-4 PERCHES, neat measure; thereon erected a one and a half story log house and frame stable;

Purpart Two. Beginning at a wild cherry tree at a point adjoining John Shutt, thence along land of John Shutt North 2 1-2 deg. East 16 8-10 perches to a stone; thence along lands of John Fye's heirs South 87 deg. East 30 5-10 perches to a stone; thence along land of same South 1 1-2 deg. West 4 1-10 perches to a stone; thence along lands of Henry Fye South 4 1-2 deg. West 11 9-10 perches to a stone; thence along land of same North 87 1-2 deg. West 28 6-10 perches to place of beginning; CONTAINING 3 ACRES, neat measure.

Purpart Three. Beginning at chestnut oak, thence by land late of David Love South 61 deg. East 72 perches to post; thence by land late of James Price South 34 deg. West 81 perches to a chestnut oak; thence by land formerly of Thomas Treaster North 61 deg. West 69 perches to a stone corner at lands late of Peter Kerlin; thence by land formerly of Peter Kerlin North 32 deg. East 83 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 32 ACRES AND 26 PERCHES; reserving and excepting, however, out of the above described tract of land a certain portion thereof conveyed by Jacob Meese in his lifetime to Adam Krumrine, consisting of about 14 acres of said above described tract of land, the deed held by said Krumrine not having been entered of record, which said tract of land so as aforesaid sold to the said Henry Fye, contains about 18 acres, more or less;

Purpart Four. Beginning at a post, thence along land of Jacob Wagner North 3 1-2 deg. East 29 5-10 perches to a post; thence along land of John Fye South 77 deg. West 14 6-10 perches to a stone; thence along lands of same South 4 1-2 deg. West 12 5-10 perches to a stone; thence along land of Henry Fye South 87 1-2 deg. East 13 1-10 perches to a post; thence along lands of same South 3 1-2 deg. West 13 5-10 perches to a post; thence along lands of Jacob Wagner South 87 1-2 deg. East 1 perch to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 1 ACRE AND 54 PERCHES, neat measure;

Purpart Five. Beginning at a stone corner adjoining lands of Jacob Wagner, thence South 4 deg. West 40 perches to stone; thence by lands of same and others South 79 deg. West 47 5-10 perches to stone; thence South 7 deg. West 26 perches to stone; thence by mountain etc. South 80 1-2 deg. West 16 perches to stone; thence South 18 deg. West 13 perches to stone; thence North 81 1-2 deg. West 9 2-10 perches to stone; thence North 2 deg. East 78 4-10 perches to stone by lands of Malinda Fye; thence by land of Josiah Taylor North 88 deg. East 18 perches to stone; thence by lands of Ditzell South 86 deg. East to white oak; thence North 84 deg. East 47 5-10 perches to place of beginning; CONTAINING 25 ACRES AND 90 PERCHES, more or less;

Purpart Six. Beginning at a stone, thence along land of John Fye North 87 1-2 deg. West 28 6-10 perches to a wild cherry tree; thence along land of heirs of Jacob Rockey, deceased, South 2 1-1 2 deg. East 23 7-10 perches to a stone; thence along land of same South 56 deg. East 9 2-10 per. to a stone; thence along land of Jacob Wagner North 15 deg East 13 perches to a stone; thence along land of same North 77 1-4 deg. East 16 perches to a stone; thence along land of Henry Fye North 4 1-2 deg. East 13 5-10 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 3 ACRES AND 70 PERCHES, more or less;

Purpart Seven. Beginning at a stone adjoining lands of Malinda Fye and Josiah Taylor; thence by land of Josiah Taylor North 87 1-2 deg. East 15 1-10 perches to stone in the wagon track of land; thence by land of Mrs. Ditzell South 87 1-2 deg. East 18 9-10 perches to white oak; thence by same North 77 3-4 deg. East 16 9-10 perches to stone; thence by land now or late of Mary Ellen Shutt South 6 deg. West 40 5-10 perches to line of other lands of Anne Fye, thence North 82 deg. West 14 7-10 perches to stone; thence North 3 deg. East 4 perches to post; thence south 89 deg. West 30 5-10 perches to stone; thence by land of Malinda Fye North 2 deg. West 35 7-10 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 10 ACRES AND 27 1-2 PERCHES, more or less;

Purpart Eight. (a.) Beginning at a stone on the North side of Tussey mountain, thence by lands of the heirs of Samuel Spangler, deceased, North 5 deg. west 49 5-10 perches to stones, thence by land of Josiah Taylor North 84 deg. East 32 perches to a stone; thence by lands of heirs of John Fye, deceased, south 5 deg. East 76 7-10 perches to a chestnut oak; thence by mountain North 35 1-2 deg. West 40 7-10 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 12 ACRES AND 96 PERCHES.

(b.) Beginning at a stone thence by lands of Amelin Ditzell South 32 deg. West 84 7-10 perches to a stone; thence by Mountain North 24 deg. West 41 perches to a post; thence by lands of heirs of Samuel Spangler, deceased, North 75 deg. East 24 perches to a pine; thence by lands now or late of John H. Shutt, Henry Fye and heirs of John Fye, deceased, South 61 deg. East 46 3-10 perches to the place of beginning; CONTAINING 10 ACRES AND ALLOWANCE; thereon erected a one and a half story dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings,

TERMS OF SALE: 20 per cent. of said purchase price to be paid upon the day of sale, the balance of said purchase money to be paid upon the confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

A. J. WEAVER,
Administrator of the estate of Effie M. Taylor, deceased.
CHARLES E. FYE.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Decker, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will expose at public sale at the Court House in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL,

A. D., 1917 at 1:30 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate:

All that certain messuage, tenement and lot of ground, situate in the Township of Potter, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

On the North adjoined by lands of John D. Decker; on the East by lands of John D. Decker; on the South by lands of John D. Decker and on the West by lands of John D. Decker, containing 40 acres, more or less; thereon erected one 2 story log house and one small frame house.

TERMS OF SALE:—Twenty per cent. of said purchase price to be paid upon the day of sale, the balance of said purchase money to be paid upon the confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

W. D. ZERBY,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary Decker, deceased.

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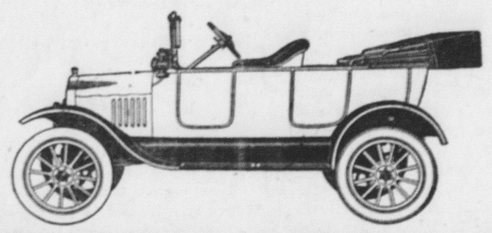
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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$149,791.28	Capital	$ 25,000.00
Overdrafts	148.13	Surplus	25,000.00
U. S. Bonds	25,000 00	Undivided Profits	3,280.68
Bonds and Securities	294,569.59	Reserved for Accrued Interest	2,250.00
Federal Bank Stock	1,350.00	Circulation	24,540.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,972.06	Cashier's Check	773.00
Due from Reserve Agents	37,539.10	Due to Banks	27.09
Due from Other Banks	65 37	Deposits	463,039.90
Redemption Fund	1,250.00	Total	$543,910.67
Cash on Hand and in Federal Reserve Bank	31,225.14		
Total	$543.910.67		

Gain since December 27 (last statement) - $52,344.40

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